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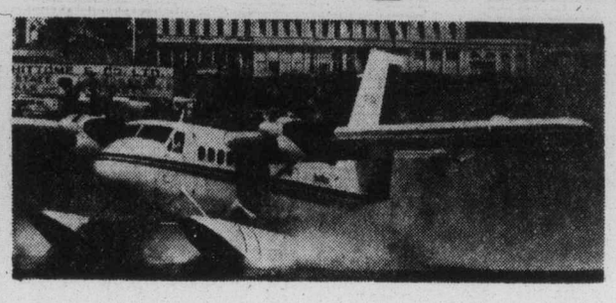
All 16 survive AirWest strait plunge

—CTV newsfilm by Len Kowalewich

Passenger steps from doorway to join others on undamaged pontoon of listing plane



AirWest Twin Otter (See also Page 13)

Passengers awaited rescue from pontoon

Three Victoria passengers were among 16 persons who survived a frightening ordeal Thursday when an AirWest Airlines Twin Otter ditched in the freezing waters of Juan de Fuca Strait, three miles south of Macaulay Point.

If the U.S. Coast Guard hadn't arrived shortly after the crash, a Vancouver passenger said, the people aboard the plane "wouldn't be celebrating Christmas this year."

The Twin Otter, a turboprop designed to land on water, was Flight 109 from Vancouver to Victoria.

Four U.S. helicopters and five ships arrived at the scene minutes after the pilot, Ted Mitchell of Chilliwack, radioed a distress signal at 11:20 a.m. The message was picked up by a coast guard helicopter at Port Angeles, Wash.

Mitchell, who received minor head injuries, was treated at Royal Jubilee Hospital and released. The other persons aboard the plane escaped major injury in the 2½-hour ordeal.

The Victoria passengers were Gwenneth Saunders, 884 Falkland, Tirjeet Singh Johl, 3662 Dartmouth, and Dr. Peter Coy, 4532 Tiedemann.

All passengers and crew — Mitchell and co-pilot Mike Lowther of West Vancouver — were placed aboard a U.S. Coast Guard helicopter and later transferred to a Canadian Harbors Board pilot boat.

Jim McCrory, who was manning the radio at the Port Angeles coast guard station, said the U.S. helicopters had to search blindly through the fog "until they stumbled on the plane."

Two coast guard helicopters were sent out on the search, and were later joined by two U.S. Navy helicopters and two coast guard surface vessels from Port Angeles.

The first helicopter at the scene settled down in the water next to the disabled airplane, and began taking passengers aboard.

One of the copter crewmen jumped into the water to assist passengers who were swimming over from the plane's pontoon and cabin and the co-pilot helped the passengers into the helicopter.

About halfway through the rescue operation, McCrory said, the AirWest plane suddenly listed and as it did so one of its wings passed through the copter's spinning rotors.

The tips of all three rotors were knocked off, and the pilot made no attempt to lift off after taking all the passengers aboard.

The passengers were then transferred to the harbors board craft and the helicopter was towed back to Port Angeles.

The Pacific Rescue Co-ordination Centre said the 18-passenger Twin Otter tipped over and the passenger compartment was submerged after all passengers had left the plane. A tug later tied a line to the plane but the line

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'It was pretty lucky for us . . .'

Passengers who survived the crash of an AirWest Twin Otter in Juan de Fuca Strait Thursday couldn't see the ocean coming closer and closer. Fog prevented that.

The plane appeared to be in a normal cruising attitude, then it suddenly bounced against the sea.

William Ling a passenger from West Vancouver, said the plane hit the water, buckling both pontoons, and bounced along the surface for about 100 feet.

"We had a hard landing," he said, adding that all passengers were given lifejackets and no one panicked.

Everyone stood on the pontoons for about 20 or 25 minutes before a helicopter arrived, he said, and about three minutes after the arrival of the helicopter, the plane sank from sight.

Len Kowalewich, a CTV cameraman aboard the plane, estimated the plane was travelling about 110 miles an hour and the "next thing we knew, we smacked into the water.

"Near the end there we were getting worried," he said. "It was pretty lucky for us."

There were two dogs aboard, he said, and "one didn't make it."

"It was frightening. It was terribly frightening," another passenger from West Vancouver said.

After the plane hit the water, he said, water began pouring inside and the passengers managed to abandon the craft.

Dr. Peter Coy, head of the Victoria Cancer Clinic, who

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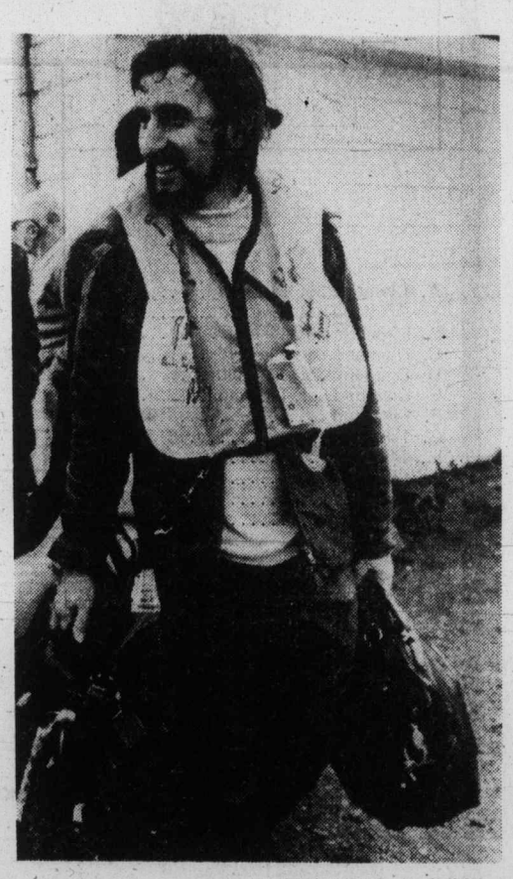

— Colonist photo by Ian McKain

Soaked CTV cameraman Kowalewich . . . 'near the end, there, we were getting worried'

Arabs to hike oil price 10%

DOHA, Qatar (UPI) — Oil ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries decided Thursday to boost oil prices up to 10 per cent on Jan. 1.

The 13-member conference agreed to allow Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates to raise prices by only five per cent while the 11 other OPEC nations imposed the full 10-per-cent increase according to Venezuelan minister Valentin Hernandez Acosta.

The decision, which was forecast to mean an increase of a penny a gallon in the price of gasoline in the United States, came after the refusal of Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani, the Saudi Arabian oil minister, to join the majority and raise prices by 15 per cent.

Hernandez said the "temporary resolution" of OPEC's pricing problems would last only from Jan. 1 to June 1, and he said agreement on it was unanimous among the 13 OPEC members.

According to estimates by U.S. Commerce Secretary Elliot Richardson, the oil price increase will mean a minimum $2 billion out of the pockets of American consumers in the coming year.

Richardson told a news conference Thursday that a five-per-cent price increase would translate into a surge of $1.7 billion in U.S. dollars spent abroad in 1977 and, at the consumer level, a $2-billion boost in the cost of fuel and the energy component of other products.

Much of the consumer price boost will show up in gasoline and heating fuel — an average one cent a gallon — but not uniformly around the nation, Richardson estimated.

Vamani, one of the most powerful voices in the organization, had been holding out for a six-month oil price freeze.

Conference sources said it seemed likely that the 11 countries might try to raise their prices by another five per cent in July, after the temporary plan ends.

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B.C., Ontario, U.S.

'Temporary' flu-shot halt

The provincial health department Thursday ordered temporary abandonment of the swine flu vaccination program.

The action came after a U.S.-wide halt ordered because of concern over a possible connection with temporary paralysis. Ontario also temporarily suspended its swine flu inoculations.

The B.C. health ministry announcement came a few hours after issuance of a new priority list of occupations entitled to the vaccine.

In the U.S. the national Centre for Disease Control in Atlanta reported earlier that some persons vaccinated against influenza had developed a condition known as the Gullain-Barre syndrome. The announcement Tuesday said there was no connection between the ailment and the swine flu vaccination program.

The CDC said, however, it was halting the U.S.-wide program temporarily pending further study of the relationship between the condition and the vaccination program.

Before the cancellation notice in B.C. it had been announced that next in line for the vaccine were doctors and nurses, hospital workers, ambulance drivers, persons working in community care facilities, police and prison guards, firemen, B.C. Hydro employees and the B.C. Telephone staff.

Already thousands of elderly and chronically-ill persons had received the vaccine, 7,000 of them in Greater Victoria.

A clinic had been planned for today at the Cook Street offices of the Capital Region community health service, a spokesman said.

Dr. Kenneth Benson, associate deputy health minister, said suspension of the program would not affect those most likely to be hit by swine flu — those in the high-risk categories and those over 65 or chronically ill — as that part of the program had been completed.

He stressed that the cancellation was temporary and could last for at least a week

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Caouette . . . heart attack

Socreds' Caouette dies at 59

OTTAWA (CP) — Real Caouette, one of Canada's more colorful parliamentarians, and former leader of the Social Credit Party died Thursday at age 59.

A party official confirmed that the Quebec politician had died in Ottawa Civic Hospital of a heart attack.

He had been extremely weak since undergoing open heart surgery two weeks ago.

Funeral services will be held at Rouyn, Que., where Caouette operated a car dealership. The exact time and date were not immediately known.

Caouette first sat in the House of Commons after being elected to represent the northwestern Quebec riding of Temiscamingue in 1946.

Only 4 giving days left

COLONIST 500 FUND

"This money ($34.45) was donated by division 6 of Happy Valley school. It was raised through a cupcake sale."

The primary class of Cadboro Bay United Church wrote: "We earned this money ($5.27) by doing jobs around the house."

"Please find enclosed a money order for $170. This is the result of a two-day penny drive at the school," wrote principal C. R. Tarr of David Cameron elementary.

And from Janet Gallant, president of Arbutus Crafts Club which donated $72.95.

"When the disabled workers of Arbutus Crafts heard about the 500 Fund they stopped and thought. They thought all about the families and the many, many children who wouldn't have much of a Christmas to remember if it wasn't for such a wonderful thing as this Fund.

"When approached with the idea of contributing, all the disabled workers agreed wholeheartedly. They thought of all the times when they needed help and how the many wonderful people opened their hearts to them. Well, they began to realize that they could help others who are in need for a change and they did.

"From their last pay cheque they donated what they felt they could afford. Some gave their whole pay cheque when they thought it was going to help make some child happy at Christmas who otherwise wouldn't be. They all gave from the heart when they knew they could help someone else. It gives them a warm feeling knowing that they could give something instead of taking.

"May all the families and the many children helped through the 500 Fund have a very Merry Christmas and may God bless each and everyone who gives whatever they can."

The 500 Fund closes Monday. Donations will be accepted up until 5 p.m.

Donation dropoffs points and list of latest donations appear on Page 2.

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All 16 survive strait plunge

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broke and the aircraft sank.

Rescue centre spokesman Lieut. Richard Pepper said the aircraft went down in 306 feet of water shortly after 4 p.m. while being towed by a Canadian navy vessel.

Capt. C. T. Lanyon of the rescue centre said cause of the crash was not known and the accident was being probed by the transport ministry's accident investigation branch.

Norman Gold, president of AirWest which started the Vancouver-Victoria flights in 1968, said it was the first accident on this run since the operation began.

During the winter, there are about 15 flights a day between Victoria and Vancouver using about 18 planes, including seven Twin Otters.

The airline also has flights from Vancouver to Nanaimo and recently received approval for flights between Victoria and Seattle, which will start in April.

Gold said the company, formed in 1958, plans to continue its schedule as usual despite the incident.

An AirWest Twin Otter crash-landed near Bella Coola on Sept. 22. One passenger died.

Last Friday, a coroner's jury investigating the crash recommended the transport ministry "enforce the regulation pertaining to emergency and survival equipment and the adequacy of the existing regulations should be reviewed."

There was evidence the aircraft only had one small first aid kit aboard and there was no emergency or safety equipment on the plane.

Mrs. Saunders, 60, the only woman on the flight Thursday, was resting at the home of her son, Tony Saunders, after being released from hospital.

Also aboard the plane were Norman Sigsworth, John Young, Alex Munro and Mark Mees, all of North Vancouver; Len Kowalewich of Port Moody; William Ling, of West Vancouver; Robert Leighton of Richmond; Garry Gosselin of Vancouver; Peter Wilson of Burnaby; Robert Beaupre of Coquitlam and Roman Heuf of Surrey.

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'Pretty lucky'

was sitting at the rear of the $500,000 aircraft, said the pilot did not appear to be making a landing at the time, as the wing flaps were in their normal cruising position when the plane hit the water.

One of the passengers had been watching the altimeter through the cockpit door and noticed it go to 20 feet, then 10 then zero, and was wondering where the pilot had miscalculated when the plane suddenly hit the water, Coy recalled.

Pilot Ted Mitchell would say only that "it was a little foggy."

A frequent passenger on the route, Coy said fog was covering most of the land around Victoria and he thought the pilot would have to take the airplane further out to sea and descend through the cloud to get underneath it before trying to land in the harbor.

At about that time there was a sudden bump and the plane landed.

"I thought at first that it was just a rougher landing than usual," Coy said. "But then the people in front of me began putting on life jackets."

Passenger Norman Sigsworth, western region manager of the transport ministry's safety branch, said he was "shaken" by the accident.

"I don't think anybody could go through that and not feel something.

"We knew a distress signal had been sent. I knew enough about search and rescue that someone would come. It was just a question of when."

Pacific Rescue Centre spokesman Lieut. Richard Pepper said the reason that no Canadian helicopters and four U.S. helicopters were involved in the rescue was the close liaison that existed between American and Canadian rescue forces.

There are no rescue helicopters stationed in Victoria, although there is a small coast guard helicopter, not nearly as large as the U.S. rescue copters. The small Canadian helicopter is used for rescue work on occasion.

The two U.S. Coast Guard helicopters first to arrive on the scene were already airborne when they received the rescue message, and located the downed aircraft within 25 minutes.

Rather than concentrate all rescue facilities at one point, Canadian forces are located further north, at Comox, and cover waters in Georgia Strait and north.

"We assist American forces further north in the same way that they assist us here.

Post office truce

OTTAWA (CP) — An uneasy peace settled over the post office Thursday when the Canadian Union of Postal Workers agreed not to strike during the Christmas mail rush.

But CUPW president Joe Davidson warned that talks on technological change had been a miserable failure, and after the Christmas rush was over, "anything could happen."

Postmaster-General Jean-Jacques Blais, however, was optimistic. He said the meetings had been "just the first step in a long process."

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In addition, Avis Rent-a-Car offices at 638 Humboldt Street, and at the corner of Quadra and Pandora Streets will accept donations.

The 15 real estate offices accepting donations are: Whyte and Gower Oak Bay Properties Ltd., 2227 Oak Bay Avenue; Charman Pacific Realty Ltd., 608 Broughton; Bayshore Realty Ltd., 1006 Fort; Homefinders, Wall and Redekop Realty Ltd., 577 Culduthel Road; Newstead Realty Ltd., 1637 Fort; D. F. Hanley Associates, 1557 McKenzie Avenue, Boorman Investment Co. Ltd., 1111 Government; the Royal Trust Company, 4082 Shelbourne; Victoria Realty Ltd., 3477 Saanich Road; Swinerton, Stewart Clark Ltd., 1318 Blanshard; P. R. Brown and Sons Ltd., 762 Fort; J. H. Whittome and Co., Ltd., 1111 Blanshard; National Trust Company, 3108 Shelbourne (Hillside Mall) Mayfair Realty Ltd., 3147 Douglas (Mayfair mall); and Sidney Realty, 2248 Beacon Avenue in Sidney.

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Welsh, Scots to vote

LONDON (Reuter) — The British government announced Thursday it will hold referenda in Scotland and Wales on its plans for limited home rule in these two regions.

John Smith, a government minister dealing with this issue, made the announcement in Parliament on the fourth and last day of a debate on a bill setting up Scottish and Welsh assemblies with limited powers.

The government's plan is to set up elected assemblies in Edinburgh and Cardiff in 1978 to administer schools, health, social work and the environment.

Agent use curbs called weak

OTTAWA (CP) — The government tabled in the Commons Thursday guides to prohibit underhanded deals by crown corporations through their use of agents in sales overseas, but Opposition MPs immediately denounced them as weak.

Swine flu shots halted

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until provincial authorities received more information from Ottawa.

Those who had already taken the vaccine had little to worry about, Benson added. The temporary paralysis had affected people between the ages of 35 and 50 in the U.S.; no cases had been reported among the elderly.

Ninety-four cases of Guillain-Barre syndrome had been reported in the U.S.

Ontario Health Minister Frank Miller said about one million flu shots had been given in that province since late October and there had not been any recorded cases of paralysis.

The suspension in Ontario might be for as long as four weeks, another official said.

The U.S. centre said the paralytic illness was discovered through a system specifically established to monitor the swine flu program.

The paralytic syndrome, also known as acute idiopathic poly-neuritis, "is an infrequent and poorly studied and usually non-fatal condition characterized by symmetric weakness of the limbs, loss of sensation, diminished reflexes and sometimes more severe paralysis," the CDC said.

A spokesman said the paralysis had never been studied on a wide scale, and the swine flu monitoring program provided this opportunity.

The temporary paralysis usually begins with weakness in the legs, then in the hands and arms and spreads to the neck and face, a spokesman said.

The spokesman said the illness usually lasts for several weeks and most patients fully recover.

The Weather

DEC. 17, 1976.

Cloudy with occasional showers. Occasionally windy. Thursday's precipitation 0.3 mm; sunshine nil. Recorded high and low at Victoria 11 and 6. Today's forecast high and low 11 and 6. Today's sunrise 8:01, sunset 4:19; moonrise 3:46 a.m., moonset 1:58 p.m. Saturday outlook: Cloudy.

East coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy with occasional showers. Windy in exposed areas. Thursday's precipitation 0.3 mm. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo 13 and 11. Forecast high and low 12 and 9. Saturday outlook: Cloudy.

West coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with periods of rain or drizzle. Windy in exposed areas. Forecast high and low at Tofino 8 and 5. Saturday outlook: Mainly cloudy.

North coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy, highs around 5.

Extended outlook, Sunday through Tuesday — Mostly mild and dry.

	Max.	Min.	Precip.
St. John's	— 2	— 6	—
Halifax	1	4	—
Fredericton	— 4	— 9	—
Charlottetown	— 2	— 6	—
Montreal	— 1	— 8	—
Ottawa	— 3	— 6	—
Toronto	1	— 5	—
North Bay	— 2	— 6	—
Thunder Bay	— 4	— 9	.30
Brandon	2	— 6	—
Churchill	—27	—31	—
The Pas	0	— 6	—
Regina	4	— 7	—
Saskatoon	2	— 7	—
Prince Albert	3	—12	—
N. Battleford	3	— 7	—
Swift Current	6	— 1	—
Medicine Hat	12	4	—
Lethbridge	15	8	—
Calgary	7	— 2	—
Edmonton	2	— 1	1.3
Cranbrook	10	5	—
Castlegar	6	2	—
Penticton	8	5	—
Revelstoke	7	3	1.3
Princeton	3	— 1	—
Vancouver	13	10	—
Prince Rupert	3	0	5.1
Comox	13	11	.3
Prince George	1	0	25.9
MacKenzie	0	— 3	6.4
Blue River	2	0	3.6
Kamloops	11	4	—
Dawson City	—13	—19	1.5
Whitehorse	— 5	—12	—
Fort Nelson	—13	—18	—
Fort St. John	2	— 3	.3
Yellowknife	—17	—20	1.3
Inuvik	—34	—33	.3
Seattle	7	2	—
Portland	7	1	—
San Francisco	16	3	—
Los Angeles	27	8	—
Phoenix	24	16	—
Las Vegas	19	1	—
Honolulu	28	21	—

TIDES AT VICTORIA

(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

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20	05.30	8.4	07.10	8.2	12.40	10.1	20.40	.4
21	06.05	8.6	08.00	8.2	13.15	9.9	21.20	.3

TIDES AT SOOKE

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21	03.05	8.0	06.45	7.5	12.30	11.0	20.45	1.0

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

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21	06.20	11.6	10.55	9.3	15.15	11.0	22.50	.3

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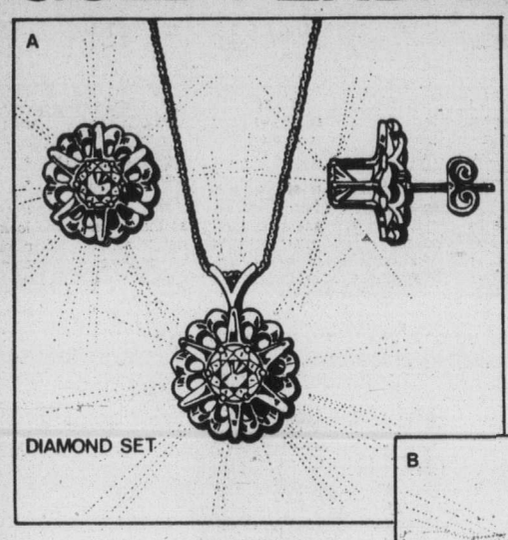

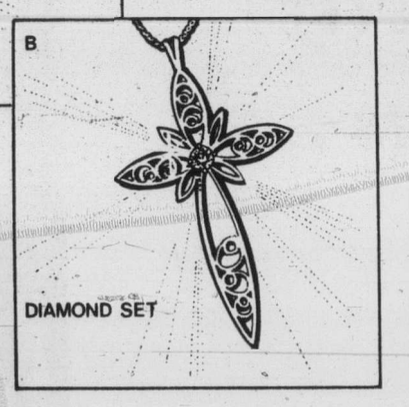

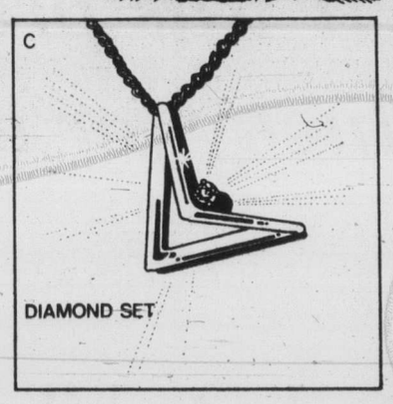

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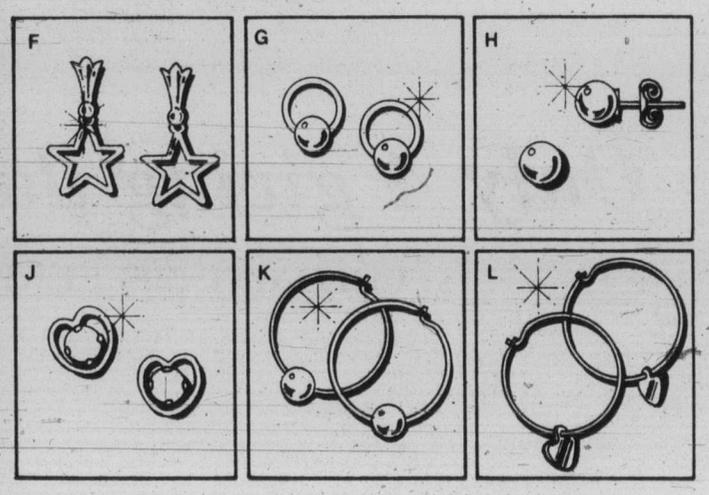

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Lebanese cling to weapons

BEIRUT (UPI) — Inaccurate arms inventories and the refusal of some Palestinians to remove their heavy weapons from camps Thursday stalled the Arab League efforts to confiscate arms from both sides in Lebanon's civil war.

An Arab League supervisory committee, grouping representatives of Egypt, Syria, Saudi Arabia and Kuwait, met with both president Elias Sarkis and guerrilla chief Yasser Arafat to discuss implementing the confiscation of weapons called for in the ceasefire accord.

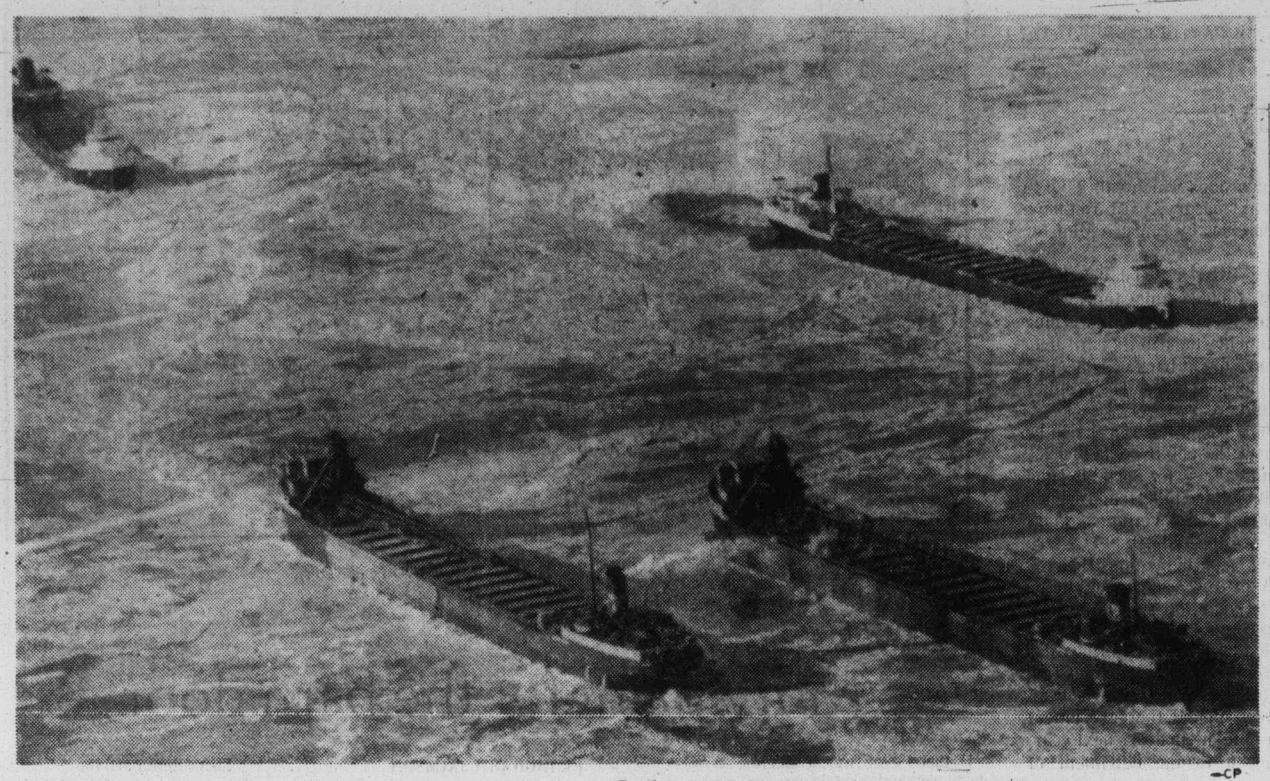
"There are no obstacles, just some difficulties we are trying to resolve," said Saudi Ambassador Ali Shaer, a committee member.

Sources close to the committee said the "difficulties" stemmed from inaccurate arms inventories turned in by the rival groups and the refusal of some Palestinian organizations to remove their weapons from camps around the city.

"Let's put it this way," the sources said. "Suppose for a minute one group admits it has five tanks, another six tanks, another five, and we know the Lebanese army had 50 tanks before the war and they're all gone — well, someone is fudging."

The collection of heavy weapons has been given top priority by Sarkis in his plan to restore security throughout the country.

But none of the parties to the Lebanese conflict wants to hand in its guns first and the president and the Arab peacekeeping forces commanders have repeatedly stalled on the issue, setting deadlines then rolling them back.



Icebound lake freighters in Erie's Pelee Passage —CP

Austrian mint chief fired

Fake coins the real thing

VIENNA (UPI) — The chief of the Austrian mint, accused of buying 1.2 tons of smuggled gold and processing it into new coins at the mint, was suspended from his job Thursday.

A spokesman of the ministry of finance said Friedrich Zimmermann, 60, was suspended to allow an investigation into his role in the scheme. A mint worker had been dismissed soon after complaining to superiors about the scheme.

The scheme was said to have been profitable to the smugglers because coined gold brings a substantially higher price than the value of the gold in the coin.

Zimmerman's suspension came after the recent arrest of two Austrian gold dealers charged with having smuggled the gold in ingots from Switzerland and the Soviet Union.

The contraband, the authorities said, was processed by the mint into new 1,000-schilling pieces, each worth $58. The gold in the coins was worth only about $45.

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Free our comrades or official dies – Spanish leftists

MADRID (UPI) — The Algerian ambassador Thursday met with government officials to discuss the demands of kidnappers that 15 left-wing prisoners be flown to freedom in Algiers in return for the safety of the No. 4 man in Spanish government, official sources said.

The kidnappers have threatened to execute Antonio Maria de Oriol y Urquijo, president of the powerful council of state, if the prisoners are not freed by midnight tonight.

Spanish television, meanwhile, broadcast pictures of five men who are suspected of engineering the daring kidnapping of Oriol from his downtown law office five days ago.

A Madrid newspaper, quoting police sources, published the names of the suspected kidnappers. All of the men are in their late 20's and members of the Reconstructed Communist Party, the newspaper reported.

The report said at least two of them participated in a commando raid Oct. 1, 1975 in which four Madrid policemen were killed.

The threat to Oriol's life, bombings and a railway strike came as the final votes in Wednesday's referendum on democratic reform were being counted, assuring a landslide victory surpassing the government's most optimistic hopes.

The victory authorizes the government to schedule elections for a western-style parliament for early 1977. They will be the first free elections in Spain in 41 years.

44 ships pressing through iced-up seaway

OTTAWA (CP) — All 44 ocean-going ships still in the St. Lawrence Seaway system Thursday will be able to get out if mild weather continues, a seaway authority spokesman said.

The authority will ignore its closing deadline of noon Saturday to move the ships through the seaway as long as ice conditions permit, according to Gay Hemsley, authority public relations officer.

Four ships were still anchored in Lake Erie early Thursday waiting for passage through the Welland canal, Mrs. Hemsley said. Five more were in the canal.

The rest of the 44 ships were anchored above the Beauharnois locks, about 30 miles southwest of Montreal, waiting to be convoyed by icebreakers through ice packed up to 15 feet thick, she said.

For the last two years, the system has closed for the winter on Dec. 18.

Mrs. Hemsley said that last year, only 17 ships had not completed the passage by Dec. 16. This Dec. 16, 44 ships were still in the system "in the worst of conditions."

The main cause of the backlog is cold weather which set in 10 days ago, she said, forcing the Beauharnois locks to close from Sunday to Tuesday. Delays also were caused by two ships that ran aground and a third which was stuck in ice in the St. Mary's River near Sault Ste. Marie, blocking shipping traffic at the Soo locks.

Mrs. Hemsley said convoys at the Beauharnois locks consist of an icebreaker followed by a freighter, another icebreaker and two more freighters.

"If these mild temperatures keep up, there is a good chance they'll all come through," she said.

Alberta delays restraint action

EDMONTON (CP) — The Alberta cabinet will decide in late February whether the province will continue cooperation with the federal anti-inflation program, says Premier Peter Lougheed.

The final decision would be made after a meeting of provincial finance ministers in late January and a further assessment of the program's effectiveness, he said.

East-West arms impasse

Garrisons swell as talks recess

VIENNA (UPI) — NATO and Warsaw Pact negotiators recessed their three-year-old disarmament talks Thursday with the admission they have so far increased, rather than reduced, troop levels in central Europe.

East German delegation chief Ingo Oeser suggested president-elect Jimmy Carter might help to get the deadlocked talks moving when he takes up office by "overcoming passivity on the western side."

Willem De Vos van Steenwijk of The Netherlands said the latest NATO computations show there has been "a slight increase in manpower on both sides" since the talks on mutual and balanced force reduction opened in October, 1973.

This did not include forces based in the Soviet Union, which is outside the area of proposed reductions, he said.

Declining to disclose exact figures, De Vos indicated NATO troop levels in central Europe have risen from 770,000 in 1973 to somewhat less than 800,000, while East Block manpower has increased by about the same amount to something over 925,000.

He said the West tabled updated figures at the final session, showing the East continues to have some 150,000 more troops in the area than NATO.

He said there were major discrepancies between figures tabled by the East and NATO's own estimates of Warsaw Pact troop levels, and these should be discussed when the talks resume in late January.

Three Jews sentenced on weapons charges

NEW YORK (AP) — Three members of the Jewish Defence League, accused of transporting guns and gunpowder and harassing Soviet officials have been given prison terms and castigated by a federal judge whose words set off a violent courtroom demonstration.

"History's greatest monsters thought they were right," District Judge Lloyd MacMahon said, in centencing Jeffrey Weingarten, 21, and Steven Ronbom, 17, for their roles in violent protest against Soviet treatment of Jews.

MacMahon gave Ronbom, a high school student, and Weingarten, a college student, time to finish mid-year exams next month before they begin serving indeterminate sentences of up to six years.

The courtroom melee occurred after MacMahon handed down a similar sentence against Russell Kelner, 35, a former Philadelphia school teacher.

About 80 spectators stood up and, with clenched fists raised, sang Jewish songs and shouted the JDL slogan "Never again!"

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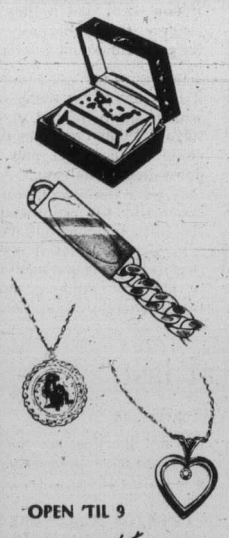
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The round-about way

THE TAX-SHARING agreement reached this week at the federal-provincial first ministers' conference will leave British Columbia more than $60 million short of the minimum the province thought it should have, according to Premier Bennett, and the 1977-78 budget will have to be cut by that amount. If this news sounds extraordinarily alarming, it is probably because a million dollars remains a nearly unimaginable fortune to many people, despite the millions being won in lotteries. But there is some comfort in the fact that $60 million is only a sixtieth of this year's B.C.budget: the chopping that needs to be done on next year's presumably bigger budget is considerably less than two per cent.

It may be, therefore, that the necessary economies can be effected without much impact on any particular part of the provincial community. But it's safe to predict that if any sharp pain is to be inflicted, it will be felt in a round-about way by taxpayers of the lowest level of government, the municipalities.

Premier Bennett is not saying where the cuts will come. He says next year's budget as it exists is a tough one for a tough year. (Ah, but remember that the State Ball, cancelled a year ago because there wasn't anything to dance about, will be re-instated in January because things are so much better, according to Provincial Secretary Grace McCarthy.)

There will be screams from various departments as their budgets are cut farther, the premier says, without anticipating the decisions which will have to be made by the cabinet and treasury board. But have we not already been given clues by Finance Minister Evan Wolfe?

Mr. Wolfe came back from a two-day federal-provincial conference of finance ministers which preceded the first ministers' meeting with the warning that if the federal government stuck to its hard line, British Columbia would have to cut back on education and hospital services, or increase taxes. The premier had said taxes will not be increased.

One cannot imagine how hospital services can be reduced any farther without the public being disgusted to a point involving political risk for Social Credit; Health Minister Robert McClelland talks tough enough with hospitals already, saying the government won't help them out if they go into the red.

But there already have been indications that the local property taxpayers of B.C. are going to be whacked a little more next year for schools through taxes set by the province, but paid to the municipalities to be handed on to the school boards.

It is not too difficult to imagine that they may find themselves paying still more if their local boards want to maintain high standards. And, if the government has planned larger grants to municipalities next year, these too could be chopped to the detriment of property-owners.

The premier, though, could still say truthfully that the provincial government had not raised its taxes.

No postal gifts

THE LONG-DEPRIVED PUBLIC can be thankful that the Post Office will remain open this Saturday and that the threat of another strike before Christmas has been removed. But let's not kid ourselves about the glad tidings from Postmaster-General Jean-Jacques Blais and the Canadian Union of Postal Workers with their being touched by the spirit of the season.

The postmaster-general says the extra day of deliveries is "an expression of goodwill . . . during the festive season" when it is really to get the Post Office out of difficulties with a backlog caused by earlier mailing due to the warnings about unions walking off the job again.

And the late-hour decision by workers to stay on the job during the Christmas period because, in the words of the postal workers' union president, Joe Davidson, "neither the public nor our members want to see the holiday season spoiled that way," can be seen only as an attempt to win favor.

They have come around to the realization that little respect is held for the Post Office with its innumerable shut-downs and poor service, but it will take more than this token effort to regain public confidence.

And the postmaster-general isn't fooling anyone, either, talking about the agreement with letter carriers to work on their day off as "an example of what constructive consultation between union and management can achieve by ongoing efforts to provide the best possible postal service."

The agreement serves both sides which is why the consultation was constructive. This hasn't been the case in the weeks of consultation over technical changes in mail handling. The postal workers say the negotiations have failed miserably and once Christmas has passed, it's back to the picket lines. The union says "a course of action" has been decided and from its past performance this can be taken to mean strike action.

Talk about expressions of goodwill and not wanting to spoil things for the public — it is nothing more than that. There are no Post Office gifts for the people this Christmas.

Only when Mr. Blais and the unions get around to some give-and-take will they wrap up the continual confrontations that give the Post Office its bad name. Only then will the public have reason to be truly thankful.

Soviet strategy shifts to Europe

By JOHN PINKERMAN

Rebuffed in the Mideast and in Africa, Moscow expansionists, militarists and Communist planners again are plotting against the West in the main theatre of global power — Central Europe.

There are unmistakable signs of what now are subtle but soon may be more blatant actions Soviet planners have in mind. They are aimed at chasing the West, including the Federal Republic of Germany (Bonn), out of West Berlin, and setting the stage for moving the entire Iron Curtain further west should the political or military climate be in Moscow's favor.

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These signs include:

1. Perhaps most important is the recent Soviet bid to the West for a North Atlantic Treaty Organization-Warsaw Pact treaty renouncing first use of nuclear weapons in any confrontation. This is a treaty designed to strip NATO of its only advantage in the current East-West military test of strength.

2. At the same time, the Soviets are beefing up their military machine in East Germany, Poland, Hungary and Czechoslovakia. They are ready to deploy their powerful SS-20 mobile intermediate-range ballistic missile. They are increasing their Warsaw Pact infantry, tank, automatic rifle and anti-tank divisions in the same areas far beyond what previous Soviet writings have boasted was sufficient strength to over-run Europe all the way to the English Channel in less than 14 days.

3. Besides these naked military moves, Moscow has taken new steps to shore up the European Communist world. Communist Party boss Leonid Brezhnev has sought to make peace with Marshal Josip Broz Tito of Yugoslavia, all in the interests of world communism. Tito had been counted on by the West as a buffer, his 18 divisions denied the Warsaw Pact bloc. The Soviets have taken the same co-operative steps with Romania, which has been standoffish from Moscow. The Russians even have tried to reassure Albania, its most open enemy among European Communists.

Facing these Russian moves aimed at erosion of the West's European strength or outright seizure of Berlin and other areas, the United States and its allies find themselves both in a dilemma and in a somewhat strengthened position vis-a-vis the Communists.

The "no first nuclear strike" bid of the Russians is attractive bait. But, it is contrary to Western interests and fits in perfectly with the Soviets' massive superiority in conventional weapons, manpower and war-making potential. NATO's nuclear parity is the only plus the West has had in facing the hundreds of Warsaw Pact divisions across the Iron Curtain.

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The Soviets also recognize the realities of Western political and psychological thinking. In many NATO nations, particularly France, Italy, Britain and even among the leftists of United States, there is a steady decline in defence consciousness and this is of such strength that it could inhibit nuclear decisions. West Germany is the sole NATO nation standing firm and anxious to use any and all weapons against Russian adventure.

The West also is troubled by the chances, very real, of a Turkish-Soviet non-aggression treaty. The Turks have been an anchor of NATO's southern flank, and they have shown pique over U.S. handling of their Cyprus and other disputes with Greece. The Russians are seeking to capitalize on this situation and the Turks seem willing to oblige.

The rapid growth of Soviet seapower is all part of Communist global and European strategy and U.S. admirals' plea to NATO allies and even American thinkers to beef up Western sea strength seems to fall on deaf ears.

The Soviets even are using the SALT (Strategic Arms Limitation Talks) impasse to their own advantage.

They have no desire to talk further until Jimmy Carter takes over the presidency, but in the meantime they can violate at will the proposed limitations of 2,400 intercontinental nuclear missiles and bombers and 1,320 missiles fitted with multiple warheads.

On the positive side for the West has been the tremendous turnaround in combat readiness of the U.S. 7th Army, the heart of NATO's defence in Europe. Under Gen. George S. Blanchard, the army's recovery from low esteem of 1970 has given the NATO commander, Gen. Alexander Haig, a force that a German general calls "division for division, worth three times the number of men over there (on the Communist side)." The upcoming addition of 84 F-15 fighters and 72 FB-111s, also gives new punch to NATO.

Gains are most noteworthy in anti-tank capability, the key to blunting the Soviet force of over 20,000 tanks that would be used in making good any Red boast to reach the English Channel in less than two weeks. The 7th Army also is enjoying high morale, low absentee rates and generally is a superb fighting machine.

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However, it still relies on a sophisticated tactical and strategic nuclear capability to stop the Warsaw Pact military men. The Russians know this — that's why they want a "no first strike" pact.

U.S. Army Secretary Martin R. Hoffman says, "Soviet expansionism continues and conventional warfare again becomes the means by which coercion will be applied."

This statement perhaps oversimplifies the comprehensive Kremlin strategy.

With the Communists, Europe is the name of the big game again. This poses a real test for NATO and for President-elect Carter.

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More paint for the barn door

By RICHARD JACKSON

If there ever was a single doubt remaining as to who is running — or so miserably failing to run — the country, there now should be none.

Last traces of it were blown away in a power struggle between members of the cabinet, perhaps a majority of the ministers, and the senior bureaucrats.

They clashed over what action should be taken following the devastating report of Auditor General J. J. Macdonell that the Big Bureaucrats, those $65,000-a-year people, have lost control of public spending.

Control was theirs almost exclusively. It was not the cabinet's nor was it Parliament's.

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Parliament's power of control was removed when examination of the estimates — the allocation of the spending of some $42 billion between the nearly 200 federal agencies — was taken from the Commons and handed House committees.

Short of time and research staff, these committees, even if the government had been prepared to allow them to do the job properly, couldn't hope to pick their way through the vastly complicated spending plans.

And for several reasons:

• They didn't know how and had nobody who really wanted to tell them.

• If they came close to blundering into some area of federal waste or extravagance, the government majority on every committee quickly put a stop to anything like that.

• The senior bureaucracy, in putting together the estimates, systematically year after year contrived to cover up, or disclose as little as they could get away with, the ever-increasing multi-billions of expenditures.

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So when the auditor general finally caught up with them and blew their cover — the masquerade, their false face as experts — and fingered them as gross incompetents, there was an outcry loud enough to shake the government.

What to do?

The bureaucrats had the answer: a royal commission.

Better still, they said, they would run it.

Here the cabinet — perhaps a majority of the ministry — said no, protesting that it would be seen as a cover-up.

So who won out?

Who else but the bureaucrats, led by Privy Council Clerk Michael Pitfield, that pillar of rectitude who was required to refund a $1,000 housing grant for which he had wrongfully applied, and Treasury Board Secretary Gordon Osbaldeston who since has been transferred to another job.

Supported by other big-spenders among the deputy ministers, Pitfield and Osbaldeston won the support of the prime minister in their struggle with the cabinet.

He took the self-serving advice of the deputies rather than that of their ministers.

And the Royal Commission was born.

On it is O. G. Stoner, now deputy trade minister and former deputy of transport in the days when the then minister, Jean Marchand, confessed the department was a "mess."

Mr. Stoner is known also as "Mirabel Stoner" and "Terminal Two Stoner," in recognition of the part he played in these two enormously costly airport disasters.

On it, too, is Professor John Hodgetts, an authority with an ultra-positive regard for Ottawa's can-do-no-wrong public service.

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On it was Marcel Caron who resigned when it was recalled that recently he had been a member of Atomic Energy, the very crown corporation under fire by the auditor general — and Parliament's public accounts committee — for unaccounted payments to agents in South Korea and the Argentine to promote the sale of nuclear reactors.

And finally on it, as chairman, the great and good friend and supporter of the public service, banker Allan T. Lambert.

Mr. Lambert will be gratefully remembered by the taxpayers as a moving force in the special committee that recommended $60,000 to $65,000 salaries for senior public servants.

But what's $65,000?

Only $25,000 more than senior public servants — the opposite bureaucratic numbers to deputy ministers — are paid, a top $40,000, in the federal administration at Washington.

Instead of locking the barn door — after a lot of those $42 billion worth of horses ran away — the deputies have persuaded the prime minister to repaint it.

I Beg to Differ

The Iroquois fell for it

By FRANK LOWE
from Montreal

While I am not in the habit of giving friendly advice or warnings to politicians whose basic principles I ardently dislike, I feel that in all fairness I should alert Premier Rene Levesque to the insidious campaign much of the English press has launched against him.

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For years, as you may recall, Rene did not fare too well at the hands of the Anglophones. Or at least that was his contention. We in the English-language word merchant game were accused of portraying him as some kind of an ogre.

Westmount mothers, it seems, no longer tried to make their pampered toddlers behave by threatening to make them walk to school, or even by telling them that if they continued to misbehave the boogey-man would get them.

Instead, they were told that if they didn't eat their caviar with a spoon instead of their fingers Rene Levesque would come in the night and burn down their "chateaux." And if they were really bad he might invade the townships and set fire to their "chateaux d'ete."

In fact, at times it seemed that Rene Levesque spent most of his time skulking through the tree-shaded streets of Westmount plotting its destruction.

From what I heard in those days, the very name of Rene Levesque was also enough to spread terror through even the most stable business establishment.

Executives, after looking at a freshly-typed letter, would call in the secretary responsible and irately warn her that if she had spent some 20-odd years of her life learning how not to use the English language, how was she going to get along when Rene Levesque took over — and she had to become equally illiterate in two languages?

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One executive, or so I am told, was so upset by the name Levesque that he accidentally lost one of his most promising underlings. He heard this young man say one day, "I'd sure like to think of some way I could get that Levesque to notice me," and fired him on the spot.

Only later did he learn that the young man had not been referring to Rene. He was talking about a Miss Levesque — the new filing clerk who wore those tight, sheer pant suits.

But since the last election this seems to have changed. The English press, with few exceptions, is hunting long and hard to find nice things to say about Rene Levesque. The word "separatism" seems to have been expunged.

Instead, our new premier is portrayed as a man of integrity, honesty and modesty. The emphasis is on his shy, warm smile and not on his basic political aim.

The only reason nobody has as yet written about the "Levesque charisma" is that everybody is afraid Prime Minister Trudeau might sue on the grounds of plagiarism.

But I think it is only fair to warn Premier Levesque that this is really part of a diabolical plot designed to destroy him. The current "love in" is in actuality a hoax, and an ancient hoax at that.

The history of this hoax can be traced back to our early days when the English told the Iroquois that if only they would join them in battling those pesky Americans, we would love them forever.

The Iroquois fell for it and became our enthusiastic allies.

But they soon learned that whatever "forever" meant in the language of the Iroquois, it had a somewhat different meaning in English.

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So I believe the same ploy is now being used against Premier Levesque. We are trying to persuade him that he is universally admired and even loved.

We will continue to orchestrate this campaign until, hopefully, the point will be reached when Premier Levesque will believe it.

Then, when some of his supporters brace him with the fact that while integrity, honesty and modesty are all okay, how about practising a little separatism, Premier Levesque will smile his shy smile, make his charming Gallic shrug and reply:

"Ah, let's forget it. After all, the English love us as we are."

Justice at last

From The Vancouver Sun

Gentlemen of the Parti Quebecois government of Quebec, we salute you.

Two weeks to the day after he was named justice minister in Premier Rene Levesque's cabinet, Marc-Andre Bedard ordered all remaining abortion charges against Dr. Henry Morgentaler to be dropped.

Fourteen days. That was all it took for the new broom to sweep out the three years of injustice and persecution Dr. Morgentaler suffered at the hands of the intractable Liberal government of former premier Robert Bourassa.

The new government obviously recognized what the old one refused to see: that the issue in the Morgentaler case was not abortion, nor the doctor's abrasive personality. It was justice and equality before the law.

Perhaps the vengeful political inquisition the Bourassa government directed at Dr. Morgentaler contributed to its defeat. If so, that was another kind of justice. The poetic kind.

Now that the air is clean again in the courtrooms of Quebec, federal Justice Minister Ron Basford can get on with the job of fixing up the ridiculous, unworkable abortion law we have now. As a first step he should release the report of the Badgley committee, which he has been sitting on for some months, so that everybody can see just how unworkable it is.

Today in History

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Australian Prime Minister Harold Holt, 59, was drowned nine years ago today — in 1967 — while swimming in the treacherous surf at the resort of Portsea, 37 miles south of Melbourne. The Liberal party leader had succeeded Sir Robert Menzies as prime minister Jan. 20, 1966. John McEwen became interim prime minister.

1916 — Max Aitken, Canadian newspaper publisher, was created Lord Beaverbrook.

1939—The first contingent of the 1st Canadian Infanty Division arrived in the United Kingdom during the Second World War.

1973 — Canadian figure skater Karen Magnussen was voted Canada's top female athlete of 1972.

Gorde Hunter

THE HELP END INFLATION Association, chaired by John Thornburgh of our town, has come up with a nice little letter for the Yule season.

"Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to Canada (we hope) from government, labor and business leaders united — ho, ho ho . . .

"We, the Big Three, in the true meaning of Christmas, pledge to you a fabulous 1977 free from economic woes caused by inflation and by our greed for more power and more money.

"In a new spirit of tri-partite co-operation, we make these New Year resolutions for 1977:

"WE IN GOVERNMENT resolve to hold increases in spending, borrowing and money supply, to one-half of 1976 increases. We will reduce waste, duplication and service costs by one-half, to make a tax cut possible.

"WE IN LABOR resolve to take pay hikes of only one-half of 1976 increases. We will reduce strikes by one-half, increase our productivity to be competitive with U.S. products and thus make more jobs for Canadians.

"WE IN BUSINESS resolve to avoid excessive profits by holding price rises to one-half of 1976 increases and to cut prices when greater productivity reduces our costs. We will increase productivity and decrease labor confrontations through profit sharing.

"The Big Three will go halfway to make a better Canada in 1977. If you, too, have taken more at someone else's expense, will you go half way? Two halves can make us whole. Yours respectfully, Pierre Ottawa, Joe Labor, Mac Business."

They added a little footnote.

"Our association knows that this scenario of the way things ought to be, sounds like the impossible dream, but isn't it worth trying? Or must the greed of the Big Three, aided by our personal greed, forever dominate our lives?"

Maybe it will be little associations like the Help End Inflation group, that will finally get us headed in the right direction. If you want to help, write them at 5093 Lochside Drive, Victoria . . .

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ONE FINAL FOOTNOTE to the hospital site controversy which has been won by Robert McClelland for the backers of the Helmcken site. This decision was actually arrived at within one month of the Socreds taking office and all the site selection process, all the pro and con debates, meant absolutely nothing more than window dressing. I had lunch with Health Minister McClelland at that time and he said there was no way the McKenzie site would ever be approved by his department. A long time ago, but McClelland made that prediction stick . . .

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SCOTT WALLACE could have indeed be correct in his prediction that the Socreds will remove part or all of the sales tax increase that was levied earlier this year.

All would mean cutting from 7 to 5 per cent, but I think you'll see the next sitting of the legislature bring the figure down to 6 per cent, which would be more than welcome and which would certainly put a lot more money into the economy. Also, at the next legislative sitting, look for a bill to do away with inheritance tax — all same as Alberta . . .

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DEPT. of stupid regulations. Did you know a clothing store can not advertise for the service of a tailor? Human Rights legislation states something about an alteration person and yet the dictionary defines tailor as — maker of garments, especially to order.

Nothing about it being the exclusive property of men. I also understand the employer can get around the regulation by purchasing a special license, which makes the whole exercise even more ridiculous . . .

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WHEN WILL OUR TOP LEVELS of government show the necessary backbone to remove us from the spectre of being held up, as it were, to ransom through work stoppages in essential services? When will the federal government put an end to the seemingly continuous threat of postal service disruption, by removing the so-called right to strike? The delivery of mail is essential and any stoppage therof causes financial hardship throughout the land — especially at this time of economic uncertainty.

When will the provincial government remove the same threat to life and property by declaring strikes illegal in both the firefighting and police protection segments of our society? There can be no justification for even a one-day stoppage of this protection and the only way to ensure it is to bring down legislation.

Both governments have been weak-kneed in their reluctance to go against the unions in this regard, whereas they should have long ago taken a firm, no-nonsense stand and backed up the stand with every power at their disposal.

Meanwhile, the public will continue in its role as hostage.

"I can't understand how they ever got to be called activists."

To the editor

Who gets bargain?

Within a few days' time the controversial issue of the exchange of a gift of .8 of an acre of land in return for .3 of an acre of public road, namely Calvert Crescent which is the access from Transit Road to Anderson Hill Park, will be decided by the Hon. Hugh Curtis, after five months' study by the Department of Municipal Affairs.

As Oak Bay ratepayers have had very little opportunity to decide whether or not they want this bargain, I would like to express my views on the subject.

In October, 1976, .3 of an acre of Calvert Crescent was assessed at almost the same value as the .8 of an acre donated by a private citizen.

In return for this gift this private citizen will receive municipal land adjacent to his private holdings of 7 lots.

In addition, Oak Bay ratepayers will have to pay the cost of erecting a 400-foot fence around this transferred property, which will permanently close this public road despite considerable opposition.

So who gets the bargain?

MARGARET MARSTON,
504 Beach Drive,
Victoria.

Ordination

During the past few days several articles and resulting letters have appeared in this paper concerning the issue of the "ordination" of women to the Catholic priesthood of the Anglican Church. One of the chief arguments put forward by Mimi Robertson is Galatians 3: 28. Unfortunately this is taken completely out of context: Read in its entirety, this chapter can be seen to be dealing with the assurance of salvation through faith in Christ being available to all people. There is absolutely no connection with ordination. Miss Robertson's references to the female assistants named by Saint Paul are again misunderstood; no mention is made of any of these women being ordained.

It is an historical fact that major contemporary religions often included female priestesses, so that such a carry-over to the new Christian church would have been natural. But God did not reveal such. There is no Biblical evidence for the ordination of women; in fact, if one understands the New Testament the opposite is the case.

This is not a political matter of civil rights; it is a spiritual matter of the very nature of God himself, of human sexuality, of the priesthood, and of Divine revelation.

J. B. HOSKING,
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Victoria.

Concern

F. M. (Bud) McLellan, president of the Workers' Compensation Board Employees' Union, this week stated that the membership of the WCBEU has always had the welfare and safety of the workers in the province as its prime concern.

During the time that the public controversy surrounding the board was being aired, the employees of the board have been striving to maintain the level of service despite the difficulties that some of the adverse publicity has caused. It is the stated intention of the WCBEU to continue to upgrade the quality of service their members provide.

C. V. HURRELL,
Shop Steward,
Victoria Area Office.

Tantrum

I believe you exercised poor editorial judgment in publishing the Page 1 photograph of the protester at the Nobel Prize awards ceremony. His outburst was about as significant as an infant child's tantrum in a department store. It would have been far more meaningful to publish a picture of the seven persons who won the awards.

ALLAN A. PARKER,
2222 Richmond Ave.,
Victoria.

Alkazar

On behalf of the tenants of the Alkazar Mansions on Fairfield Road, I would like to express our many thanks to the newspapers, CHEK-TV, radio and Charles Barber, MLA, for the coverage they have given us in our upsetting Christmas plight re losing our apartments.

Also to the many people who phoned me with so much sympathy and offers of help. We thank you all.

BETTY HEATHERINGTON,
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Victoria.

Jail staff

I wish to voice my objection to the type of completely irresponsible reporting done by your newspaper.

This is in reference to your Dec. 9 edition "Jail Staff in disarray."

I find it very difficult to understand why an article would be printed with an anonymous phone call as the authority quoted.

I noticed your "Letters to the Editor" must be signed with a name. As well as an address but you will accept any anonymous phone call which was obviously a former inmate.

I am disgusted.

JOAN CARMICHAEL,
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RR 7, Victoria.

Diplomacy's lone cowboy silent as an era ends

By BRUCE LEVETT from Washington
The Canadian Press

Henry Kissinger, whose eight years as the voice of U.S. foreign policy runs out Jan. 20, remains the secretive "lone cowboy" of diplomacy as he prepares to step aside in favor of Cyrus Vance.

All offers of post-inaugural employment are being referred to his lawyers. One report suggests he may return to Harvard University — the institution he gave up when he succumbed to the "aphrodisiac" of power. Another says he may write his memoirs, eagerly awaited by publishers.

But Kissinger has remained silent, saying he will look at all offers and ideas after he returns to private life.

It was Richard Nixon, coaxing Kissinger into giving up his professorship at Harvard, who once said he could not imagine "what the government would be like without you."

Americans are about to find out. The betting is that it will be different in style if not so much in substance.

Vance, like Kissinger, brings a background of global troubleshooting to the secretary of state's job. He may even be more experienced — at this stage — than was Kissinger.

However, unlike Kissinger — who called himself the "lone cowboy" in jest over his solo performances on the world stage — Vance can be expected to listen to other Kissinger words:

"We cannot base foreign policy on star performers," he said. "We cannot rely that somebody will come along every few years to manipulate events."

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For Kissinger, manipulation was how it was all done. He had a "carrot and stick" philosophy—reward with the carrot or punish with the stick.

"The test of a statesman . . . is his ability to recognize the real relationship of forces and to make this knowledge serve his ends," he said.

"The acid test of a policy, however, is its ability to obtain domestic support."

Bureaucracy was stifling to Kissinger. He felt it was the bane of statesmanship and yet he once said, "it is dangerous to separate planning from the responsibility of execution."

Increasingly during the last year, Kissinger found it difficult to obtain domestic support for his policies and to keep secret such international moves as he was not ready to share with the bureaucrats.

President-elect Jimmy Carter, in a fit of campaign fervor, described Kissinger as the real president of the U.S. in the eyes of other nations.

He vowed to replace him and to make himself the symbol of U.S. authority.

And he promised an end to secrecy in international negotiations.

"We must evolve and consummate our foreign policy openly and frankly with a constant adherence to fundamental principles and high moral standards," Carter said.

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Kissinger said the U.S. is paralysing itself with debate over "the morality of ways and means." The "most moral" goal should be the preservation of peace.

To that end, he used secrecy, force and the threat of force, and strongly defended his positions.

Kissinger seemed almost pre-ordained to the position he reached on the world stage.

He was born 53 years ago into a Jewish family in pre-Hitler Germany. He was 15 when the family fled to the U.S. in 1938.

He was a 22-year-old sergeant when the army put him in charge of administering a small German town at the end of the Second World War. Later, he took over a county with a population of 140,000.

It was his first experience with the aphrodisiac of power.

Kissinger went to Harvard on a government scholarship. By 1954 he was a professor there. By 1958 he had begun a long association with Nelson Rockefeller. Ten years later, he campaigned for Rocky for president.

Nixon won that election, but Kissinger's expertise and reputation were such that Nixon picked him as foreign affairs adviser even though Kissinger had worked for a bitter rival.

It was in 1971 that Kissinger was faced with the decision — return to Harvard or give up tenure there. He reluctantly turned his back on the university. Kissinger was Nixon's close adviser for nearly five years before becoming secretary of state in 1976. Less than a year later, it was to Kissinger that Nixon handed his one-line resignation from the presidency.

Under Nixon, Kissinger had attempted — in his words — to build a "stable, new world order," or, at least, "the beginning of a perception of a structure . . . that moves toward a global conception." Few Americans, however, had the vision to take in the full sweep of his plan, he said. He blamed this on the "orgy of recrimination" which swept the U.S. in the wake of Watergate, the fall of the U.S. effort in Vietnam, and the departure in disgrace of Nixon.

Under Nixon, the secretary of state felt he had the room to manoeuvre and the authority to negotiate in secret, to the point where critics were beginning to ask who was the puppet and who the puppeteer.

With Nixon gone, with the Democrats more firmly in control of Congress than ever following the 1974 elections, Kissinger told the struggling caretaker-president Gerald Ford that he would step down should Ford find him a political liability in the 1976 presidential campaign.

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Ford said publicly that Kissinger could stay as long as he liked. Adviser to four presidents — Kennedy, Johnson, Nixon and Ford — Kissinger always denied any Svengali influence over the White House.

"A man doesn't become a president who has a weak will," he said.

"You don't establish any mesmeric influence over a president and, if you have a conscience, you don't try."

Nobody is predicting swift, dramatic changes in U.S. foreign policies after Kissinger.

What Carter is promising is openness and frankness in the formulation and carrying out of those policies in, as one observer puts it, "a world in which there are no permanent diplomatic victories."

Haile Selassie forgotten after rule of 53 years

By DAVID LAMB from Addis Ababa
The Los Angeles Times

More discredited in death than he was ever revered in life, Emperor Haile Selassie is a destroyed and officially forgotten legend in this troubled land he ruled with an iron fist for 53 years.

His face disappeared from the new dollar bill, his name removed from the official Christian mass. His estates have been divided among the peasants, his billion-dollar fortune confiscated. Most of his confidants have been executed, exiled or imprisoned.

The Lion of Judah lies in an unmarked grave on the palace grounds where he died under house arrest two years ago, believing he was still emperor. His showcase palace overlooking downtown Addis Ababa now serves as headquarters for the ruling military junta — and its dark, dank wine cellars as a prison for some of Selassie's relatives and former cabinet ministers.

"He built palaces and estates and we needed schools and hospitals," said a cab driver inching through the teeming streets near the central market. "Look at all these donkeys, look at the way the people live — it's like Ethiopia was still in the middle ages.

"The emperor did nothing for Ethiopia except make a few people rich and keep the rest of us poor. He was evil. If he had cared about the country we wouldn't have needed a revolution."

That the junta has been able to destroy this rock-solid Ethiopian foundation in two years time is a remarkably skilful propaganda achievement. But otherwise the changes that most had hoped the Marxist revolution would bring have been slow and uncertain. This ancient land so rich in history and so poor in assets is struggling to avoid disintegration.

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Ethiopia is fighting a full-scale civil war against secessionist guerrillas in the northern province of Eritrea and lesser rebellions in nine of the other 13 provinces. In Addis Ababa, students, labor unions and intellectuals are increasingly restive, not with the revolution itself but with the ruthless manner in which the junta (or dirgue) is carrying out its socialistic aims.

The jails are so full of political prisoners — about 25,000, it is reported — that three new prison camps are being built, reportedly including one known as "the man-killer" in the desolate Ogaden region. Executions have become so commonplace that most Ethiopians now only shrug when they hear the martial music which precedes the radio announcement of the latest official killings.

Foreign envoys conservatively estimate the number of persons executed, mostly without trial, at 3,000 since the dirgue came to power in the bloodless coup that deposed the emperor. The latest victims, executed three weeks ago, numbered 27 — all students, including a 15-year-old boy who had been agitating for a return to civilian rule.

"You can not change 3,000 years of oppression in two years," a government official said. "We have goals, not timetables, and the goals take time. Don't be too quick to overlook what has been accomplished in a short time."

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And there have been successes. The feudal system which held the masses in inescapable poverty has been dismantled and every peasant is now entitled to a maximum of 25 acres. In cities and towns the people are being organized into 200-man cells which provide the infrastructure for the revolution.

But poverty still grasps the land — the per capita income is $90 annually, the literacy rate is 7 per cent — and the contrasts are striking. Slums and modern office buildings stand nearly side by side in Addis Ababa, where a timelessness lingers amid customs and traditions unchanged in centuries.

Caravans of donkeys still plod each morning down the rough streets, their backs piled high with wheat, their masters stopping from time to time at the mud homes where an empty tin can placed on a stick outside the door indicates that homemade beer is for sale.

Old men coat their heads with butter to cure headaches and wrap their limbs with religious scrolls to heal wounds and scare away evil dreams. And when they return home at day's end, their tired feet are washed and massaged by their wives.

For most of these Ethiopians, the revolution has not drastically altered the burden of life. Despite the midnight curfew, the anti-capitalistic posters pasted around town, the machine-gun checkpoints on roads leading to Addis, the dirgue is merely another authoritative body whose promises to the 28 million Ethiopians have yet to be fulfilled.

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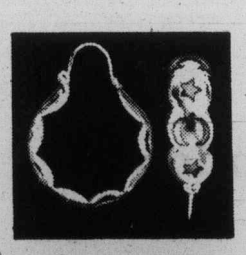

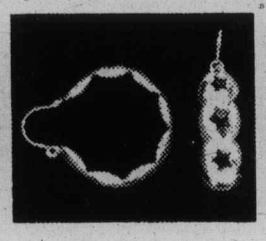

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Toronto trading

TORONTO (CP) — Industrials recovered from earlier heavy losses to record only a fractional decline at the close of moderate trading on the Toronto stock market Thursday.

The recovery at Toronto paralleled a similar curve at New York where the Dow Jones index closed at 981.30, down 2.49 after an earlier drop of more than three points.

A total of 237 contracts were traded on the options market, up from 165 Wednesday.

A 40,000-share block of NBU Mines Ltd. at $1.40 a share was the largest of the 40-block trades.

Four Seasons Hotels Ltd. with 25,000 shares at $2.65 a share was second, followed by 23,900 shares of Algoma Steel Corp. Ltd. at $17.25 a share.

A trading halt continues on first preferred shares of Scott Misener Steamships Ltd. at the company's request pending an announcement.

The Ontario Securities Commission prohibited a proposed takeover of Scott Misener last week by Lochiel Investments 1975 Ltd.

Lochiel, a private company controlled by the Misener family, offered $15.00 for each first preferred Scott Misener share.

CLOSING AVERAGES

154 Industrials	167.51	—0.05
12 Golds	295.82	—0.64
29 Base Metals	75.21	—0.30
19 Western oils	216.09	+0.20
Volume 2.2 Million		

BOX SCORE

	Thurs.	Wed.
Issues traded	695	679
Advances	199	228
Declines	245	210
Unchanged	251	241
New highs	5	8
New lows	19	23

ACTIVE STOCKS

Vol.		Close	Chge.
57541	Massey-Ferguson	21¼	—2
36270	Simpsons	5	+.05
32630	Imperial Oil A	20⅜	+⅜
27100	Four Seasons Htls	2.65	—.05
26480	Algoma Steel	17⅜	—¼
22975	Bank of Mtl	13⅜	—⅛
19572	Hawker Siddeley A	4.40	unch
18725	Thomson Newsp A	11⅜	—⅛
18075	Power Corp A	7⅞	+⅛
17320	Can Imp Bank	24⅛	unch

GROUP AVERAGES

Banks	268.36	—2.06
Beverages	227.78	—0.60
Chemicals	91.93	+0.30
Construction material	173.00	—6.17
Food processing	244.65	—1.59
General manufacturing	156.84	+0.41
Industrial mines	117.90	+1.11
Merchandising	279.24	+1.73
Oil refining	166.31	+2.15
Paper-forest products	101.03	+0.88
Pipelines	113.63	+0.34
Real estate	144.25	—0.35
Steels	180.53	—1.27
Trust and loan	194.71	—0.76
Utilities	146.53	—0.96
Miscellaneous	116.27	—0.50

MARKET REPORT

Closing quotations for Thursday, Dec. 16, 1976

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TORONTO CLOSING STOCKS
Distributed by CP
Toronto Stock Exchange—Dec. 16

Complete tabulation of Wednesday transactions. Quotations in cents unless marked $. z—Odd lot, xd—Ex-dividend, xr—Ex-rights, xw — Ex-warrants. Net change is from previous board-lot closing sale.

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
A and B					
A G F M	6600	143	143	143	+1
Abitibi	10630	$9⅞	9¾	9⅞	+⅛
Abitbi 10	100	$51	51	51	—1
Acklands	700	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	+⅛
Adanac M	z300	15	15	15	
Advocate	1000	260	250	250	—10
Afton Min	1200	$5½	5⅜	5⅜	+⅛
Agnico E	1600	400	400	400	+10
Agra Ind A	900	$6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	
Albany	12000	28	27	28	+½
Alt East G	300	$13¾	13¾	13¾	
Alt Energy	3370	$11¼	11¼	11¼	
Alta Gas A	7092	$13	12⅞	13	
Alta G C p	z70	$55	55	55	
Alta G E p	100	$21¼	21¼	21¼	
Alta G F	100	$26¼	26¼	26¼	
Alta G 9.76	700	$26¾	26⅝	26¾	
Alta Nat	255	$28¼	27½	28¼	+¾
Alcan	11315	$22½	22⅜	22½	+⅛
Alcan pr.	z17	$28½	28½	28½	
Algo Cent	300	$10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	
Algoma St	26480	$18	17¼	17⅜	—⅝
AStel p	850	$26⅜	26¼	26⅜	+⅛
All-Can B	500	250	250	250	—10
Allarco Dv	1300	$10¼	10¼	10¼	
Alliance B	296	400	400	400	
Alminex	4400	$7	6⅞	7	
Almin 4½ p	400	$34	34	34	
Alum 3rd p	1100	$27½	27½	27½	
Am Bonza	14400	$6½	6¼	6½	
Am Larder	5500	15	13	15	+1
Am Eagle	500	40	40	40	+1
Am Leduc	z800	5½	5½	5½	
Andres W	1100	$8	7¾	7¾	—¼
Ang CT 315	z25	$31½	31½	31½	
Ang U Dev	1000	78	78	78	
Aquitaine	4130	$16⅛	15¾	15⅞	—¼
Argosy	z47	7	7	7	
Args 250 p	100	$29¼	29¼	29¼	
Argus B pr	500	$28½	28	28	
Argus C pr	300	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	+⅛
Asamera	11785	$10⅛	10½	10½	
Asbestos	400	$23¼	23¼	23¼	+¼
Ashland C	450	$9½	9⅜	9½	
Atco A	800	$12¼	12¼	12¼	+⅛
Auric Res	3333	20	19½	19½	—½
Avoca M	1000	8½	8½	8½	
BC Sugar A	825	$23¼	23¼	23¼	—½
BP Can	3441	$7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	—⅛
Banister C	250	$8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	—⅛
Bank BC	250	$20¼	20¼	20¼	
Bank Mtl	22975	$13⅜	13¼	13⅜	—⅛
Bank N S	10432	$19⅝	19	19⅝	—⅛
Bankeno	1200	142	141	141	—1
B Cdn Nat	1614	$13⅛	13	13	
Bary Expl	2000	42	42	42	
Bathrst p	250	$10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	
Baton B	300	$8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	+⅛
Beavr E A	200	410	410	410	—10
Becker B p	200	$5½	5½	5½	+⅛
Bell Canad	17305	$45¼	44¾	44¾	—½
Bell A pr	z28	$45	44¾	44¾	
Bell B pr	305	$46	45⅞	45⅞	
Bell D pr	511	$47¼	47¼	47¼	
Bell 2.28	5125	$25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	
Bell 1.80	4325	$20	20	20	
Bell Can W	23850	280	245	250	—30
Bell Knit	500	30	30	30	—10
Beth Cop A	820	$11¼	11	11	
Bl Hawk	500	16	16	16	
Black P A	100	400	400	400	
Blakwod A	800	305	300	305	+5
Block Bros	200	445	445	445	—10
Bomac	400	200	200	200	
Bomac A	100	270	270	270	—20
Bombdier	181	$5¾	5¾	5¾	
Border C	100	210	210	210	+5
Bovis Cor	22350	65	60	65	+5
Bow Valy	5950	$21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	
Bow Vly pr	1200	$11½	11½	11½	
Bowater	z78	265	265	265	
Bralor Res	1923	296	296	296	
Bramalea	1210	$5½	5½	5½	
Brameda	43950	144	125	135	+12
Brascan A	15465	$11⅛	11	11	
Brscn 8½ p	13950	$25⅜	25⅛	25¼	
Brenda M	200	$7	6⅞	7	
Bridger	6100	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	
Bright A	100	$6¼	6¼	6¼	
Brinco	1040	335	335	335	+5
BCFP	2000	$24	23⅞	24	+⅛
BC Pack B	200	$20	19⅝	20	
BC Phone	8000	$13	13	13	+⅛
BCPh 4½ p	z25	$47	47	47	
BCPh 4.84	100	$13¼	13¼	13¼	
BCPh 5.15	185	$53	53	53	
BCPh 5¼ p	25	$60	60	60	
BCPh 6 pr	z10	$64	64	64	
BCPh 6.80	140	$18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	
BCP 7.04 p	190	$19¼	19¼	19¼	
BCP 10.16 p	760	$26½	26½	26½	
BCP 2.32 p	200	$28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	
Brunswk	1900	470	465	465	+5
Budd Auto	400	$5⅛	5	5	
Budd A w	600	128	125	125	
Bulora Cor	6500	12	12	12	
Burns Fds	136	$10¼	10¼	10¼	
C					
CC Yachts	300	345	345	345	+10
CAE A	100	$8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	
CFCN	207	$8	8	8	
Cad Frv	1395	$9	8¾	8¾	
Cal Pow A	2835	$31¼	31⅛	31¼	+⅛
Cal P 7 p	225	$78	78	78	—3
Cal P 9.80	275	$104	103	104	
Calmor IB	1000	54	54	54	
Calvert	1500	$14	14	14	+¼
Cam Mine	9000	30	29	30	
Camflo	10289	$9⅛	8⅞	8⅞	+⅛
C Chib A	4500	290	280	280	—10
Camp RL	1445	$25¼	25	25¼	+¼
Campau A	2350	365	350	360	—5
Can Cem A	3574	$7½	7¼	7¼	
CCe C p	z45	$13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	
CDC pr B	1055	$98½	98⅛	98½	+⅛
Can Malt A	600	$18¼	17½	17½	—1
C Nor West	3514	$7¼	7	7	
C Pakrs C	z50	$18¼	18¼	18¼	
Can Perm	300	$15¼	15¼	15¼	
CS Pete	41350	305	290	295	—15
Can Trust A	10905	$19⅛	19⅛	19⅛	+⅛
C Tung	2000	490	485	490	+5
Cdn Arrow	2000	11	10	10	—1
C Cablesy	300	$13½	13¼	13¼	—⅛
C Cable w	420	148	148	148	—2
Cdn Cel	700	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	+⅛
C Curtis	1600	47	47	47	+2
C Ex Gas	14200	$6¼	6⅛	6⅛	
C Found pr	100	$9½	9½	9½	
CG Invest	z27	$18¼	18¼	18¼	
C Hidrogas	1300	110	110	110	
C Homestd	3525	$5¼	5⅛	5⅛	
C Hydro	2600	$7⅛	7	7⅛	
C Hydro pr	100	$11½	11½	11½	+⅛
C I Bk Com	17320	$24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	
CIL	1500	$17⅛	17	17	
CI Powr A	100	$14½	14½	14½	
CIJ Pete	1000	27	27	27	—2
C Malort	2000	27	27	27	—3
C Manoir A	100	410	410	410	—10
C Merrill	2800	$13	12⅞	13	+⅛
CNat R	300	350	340	340	—30
C Ocdental	1025	$15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	+⅛
CP Inve	1794	$17½	17¼	17½	+¼
CP Ltd	14547	$16⅛	15⅞	15⅞	+¼
CPL A p	600	$8½	8½	8½	
C Reserve	1300	460	450	450	—10
Cdn Sup O	300	$40	40	40	+½
Cdn Tire	180	$38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	+⅛
Cdn Tire A	175	$41¼	41¼	41¼	
C Utilties	2230	$13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	
C Util 5 pr	z40	$53½	53½	53½	
C Util $1.25	z30	$25½	25½	25½	
CU 10¼	z10	$27	27	27	
C Util w	8720	440	430	435	
Canron	400	$20⅛	20⅛	20⅛	+⅛
Capit Div	z900	21	21	21	
Cara	175	$5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	
Carl OK	8410	295	290	295	+4
Carl A p	840	$21½	21	21	
Carl B p	160	$26	26	26	
Carma A	472	$5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	
Carrier JD	z50	127	127	127	
Cassiar	1075	$5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	
Celanese	8340	325	315	325	+15
Celan 175 p	275	$16	15¾	15¾	
Ctl Fund A	500	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
Centurion	300	$5	5	5	
Charter Ol	133	325	325	325	
Chib Kay	6500	10	10	10	
Chib M	z100	20	20	20	
Chieftan D	5600	$10½	10¼	10¼	
Chieftan p	1620	$51⅛	51	51	
Chimio	600	93	93	93	—2
Chrysler	4205	$19½	19	19¼	+¼
City Sav T	100	$18½	18½	18½	
C S 10¼	200	$10¼	10¼	10¼	
Claiborne	500	80	80	80	+1
Coch Will	8500	26	25	25	—1
Cockfield	700	355	330	355	+25
Coles Book	200	$7¼	7¼	7¼	
Comb Met	4000	12	12	12	+1
Cominco	6420	$37	36⅝	36⅝	
Com Cap	400	360	360	360	
C Holiday	1560	370	360	360	—5
CHins A p	200	$18½	18	18	
Comtech	300	280	275	275	—25
Conduit A	200	310	310	310	—10
Coniagas	z20	55	55	55	
Con Chm A	600	$5½	5½	5½	
Con Batn A	885	$26¼	26	26⅛	
Con Bath p	117	$15⅛	15	15⅛	
C Batn 68 w	400	$10¼	10	10	
Con Bldg	1030	250	245	250	+10
Con Fardy	2655	325	320	325	+5
C Durham	3000	62	62	62	+2
C Marben	3000	91	91	91	—2
C Morisn	300	150	150	150	
Cons Prot	4988	15	14	15	
C Rambler	17000	82	82	82	
Con Distrb	10400	325	300	325	+25
Cons Gas	15580	$13⅛	12⅞	13⅛	+⅛
Con Gas B	z25	$61½	61½	61½	
Con Gas D	500	$21⅞	21½	21½	
Conwest	500	310	310	310	+5
Copeland	4000	70	65	70	+12
Cop Fields	2733	166	165	165	—1
Cornat Ind	700	$5	495	495	—5
Corp Food	100	$8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	
Coseka R	10205	415	405	410	—5
Costain R	200	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	
Costin R w	z50	200	200	200	
Craigmt	900	$5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	
Crain R L	600	$8½	8⅛	8⅛	
Crestbrk	300	425	425	425	—5
Zeirba A	100	$18¼	18¼	18¼	
Crush Intl	1050	$8⅛	8	8⅛	
Cuvier M	z300	57	57	57	
Cyprus	1640	$9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	
D to G					
Dale-R pr	1300	$6½	6½	6½	+⅛
Dalmy A	100	$9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	+⅛
Daon Dev	500	$8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	
D Aragon	3500	18½	18	18	
Dephld B p	100	$56	56	56	
D Eldona	12200	56	54	56	+2
Denison	5783	$58½	57	57⅛	
Dickensn	3600	385	380	385	+5
Digtech	500	40	40	40	+2
Discovry	z180	43	41	41	
Dist Tr A	400	$5¼	5¼	5¼	
Doman I	1400	$5½	5⅜	5⅜	
Dome	899	$44¾	44¼	44¼	
Dome Pete	8765	$38¼	37⅞	38¼	+⅛
D Bridge	400	$18½	18	18	
D Explor	3400	11½	11	11	—2
Dofasco A	2400	$25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	
Dofasco p	125	$54	54	54	+1
D Scotish p	z43	$22¾	22¾	22¾	
Dom Store	1175	$14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	+⅛
D Textle A	2520	$7¼	7	7	
Domtar	3935	$14⅛	14¼	14⅛	+⅛
Donlee M	750	$8⅛	8¼	8¼	
Douglas L	100	250	250	250	
Dunde Pal	2333	26	26	26	
Du Pont	275	$13	12⅞	13	
Dylex L A	1000	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
E-L Fin	200	$5¼	5⅛	5⅛	
E-L Fin w	1500	70	70	70	—5
East Mal	2178	177	174	174	—3
East Sul A	2210	98	98	98	—2
Estn Prov	500	215	215	215	
Econ Inv	120	$12½	12½	12½	
Ego Mines	500	58	58	58	
Electro A	2090	255	255	255	
Electro p	z25	$43½	43½	43½	
Emco	300	$5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	
Extndcar	2901	$6¼	6¼	6¼	
Extd wt	600	210	210	210	—15
Falcon C	12600	$5⅛	5	5	
Falcon	1698	$30¾	30½	30½	
Fed Diver	200	230	230	230	
Fed Ind A	2500	495	490	490	—10
Fed Pion	2000	$25	25	25	
Fidelity Tr	500	275	275	275	
Fields S	100	$7¼	7¼	7¼	+⅛
Finning T	600	$11½	11½	11½	
F City Fin	1000	$11¼	11¼	11¼	
Foodcrp Lt	795	360	350	360	—5
Foodex S	z75	$5¼	5¼	5¼	
Ford Cnda	165	$86	86	86	+½
F Seasons	27100	272	265	265	—6
F Season w	z200	39	39	39	
Francana	1500	$5⅛	5½	5½	
Fruehauf	200	$5¼	5¼	5¼	+⅛
GLH Steel	2100	271	265	269	—11
GSW Cl A	250	$6½	6¼	6½	+⅛
GSW Cl B	100	$6	6	6	
GSW C pr	25	$85	85	85	
Gaz Metr	z6	$5½	5½	5½	
GMC	1171	$77	76	76½	
Genstar L	3055	$22	21¾	22	
Gnstar L w	700	$6⅛	6¼	6¼	
Gerin Ist p	600	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	
Gesco Dis	300	345	345	345	+20
Gnt Mascf	6608	122	118	118	—7
Giant Yk	z114	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
Gibraltar	8450	$5⅛	5¼	5⅛	+⅛
Goldund M	1500	24	24	24	—1
Goldray	30550	60	55	58	+1
Goodyear p	225	$30	30	30	
Graff G	400	$24	24	24	
Granduc	4050	97	95	97	
Gt Oil Sds	770	$5⅛	490	490	—35
GL Paper	250	$30⅛	30⅛	30⅛	
GN Fin	3000	150	150	150	
Gt West S	3100	300	296	300	+4
G Goose A	z10	$5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	
Greyhnd C	z200	34	34	34	
Greynnd	600	$16	15½	15½	
Guar Trst	448	$5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	
Gulf Can	4790	$22⅛	22¼	22⅛	
Gulfstrem	30400	47	43	47	+7
H to L					
Halifax D	1000	180	180	180	+5
H Group A	1700	250	250	250	
Hardee	1500	86	86	86	
Hard Crp A	800	460	450	450	—5
Hard Crp C	150	425	425	425	
Hawker A	19572	440	430	440	
Hayes D A	321	$5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	
Highmont	z200	87	87	87	
Holinger A	200	$27	27	27	
Homco A	2500	91	91	91	
Home A	2034	$27¾	27⅛	27½	
Home B	125	$23	23	23	—1
H Bramor	100	200	200	200	+5
Hud Bay A	2905	$17½	17⅛	17⅛	—⅛
H Bay Co	1620	$14⅛	14	14⅛	+⅛
HB Oil Gas	2350	$35¾	35½	35¾	+¼
Husky Oil	1425	$19⅛	19	19	
Husky E w	240	465	465	465	
Hydra Ex	z490	23	15	23	
IAC	1200	$14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	
ITL Ind	2000	90	90	90	+5
IU Intl	6770	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	
IWC Com	7700	185	180	185	+8
Imasco A	4125	$22	22	22	+¼
Imasco A p	z25	325	325	325	
Imp Oil A	32630	$20½	19⅞	20⅜	+⅜
Imp Oil B	250	$20	20	20	
INCO A	12129	$30½	30	30½	+½
INCO B	350	$30¼	30¼	30¼	
Indusmin	z54	$9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	
Inland Gas	400	$9½	9⅛	9½	+⅛
Inter-City	4750	$6	5¾	6	+⅛
Inter C B w	1600	315	310	315	
Intrmetco	14100	$5½	5½	5½	
IBM	118	$271¼	271	271¼	+1¼
Int Mogul	9152	266	265	265	+2
I Mogul A	100	$11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	—⅛
Interpool	1150	$15	15	15	+⅛
Int Pipe A	5925	$13½	13⅜	13⅜	—⅛
Ipsco	100	$11½	11½	11½	+⅛
Inv Grp A	7825	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
Inv Grp 5 p	700	$13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	+⅛
Iron Bay T	200	$5⅛	5	5⅛	
Island Tel	300	$10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	
ISO	3000	90	90	90	
Ivaco A	3500	$5¾	5½	5¾	
Jannock	7600	$7	6⅞	7	+¼
Jannock A	z50	$12¼	12¼	12¼	
Jannock D	z75	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
Janoc 6 p	100	$60¼	60¼	60¼	
Jorex Ltd	1000	11	11	11	
Kaiser Re	2200	$13⅛	13¼	13¼	
Kaiser wt	905	$10¾	10⅛	10⅛	
Kam Kotia	1500	49½	49½	49½	+1
Kaps Tran	13800	86	81	82	—3
Keen Ind	2300	77	77	77	+2
Keeprite B	z50	$9	9	9	
Kelsey H	z75	$11¾	11¾	11¾	
Kerr A A	800	$12⅛	12¼	12⅛	—⅛
Kerr A B	z38	$12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	
K Anacon	z199	16	16	16	
Koffler A	500	475	465	475	+5
Koffler A p	200	$7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	—¼
Labatt A	1635	$16¼	16	16	
Labatt A p	600	$16	16	16	
Lab Min	550	$29	29	29	+½
Lacana	1370	325	320	325	
Laidlaw A	810	$6¼	6⅛	6⅛	+⅛
LOnt Cem	1200	315	310	310	—5
L Shore	z74	190	190	190	
LaUrasia	z200	32	31	32	
Lau Fin	500	$6	6	6	
Lau Fn 140	250	$15¼	15¼	15¼	
L 9 J C	6090	$10½	10½	10½	
Leigh Inst	5050	199	186	186	—5
Leons Frn	200	$8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	+⅛
LL Lac	640	130	130	130	
Lob Co A	268	275	275	275	+10
Lob Co B	4700	265	260	265	+3
Lob Co pr	691	$21¼	21⅛	21¼	
Lob Ltd Ap	393	$13	13	13	
Lob Ltd Bp	118	$14½	14½	14½	+¼
Lochiel	6900	120	115	120	+5
Loeb M	1000	270	270	270	
Lost River	1000	225	225	225	
Lytton M	6700	25	23	25	+3
M to O					
MICC	14100	$8	7⅞	8	
MICC A	200	$25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	+¼
MPG Inv	z50	370	370	370	
Maclarn A	220	$30	29⅞	29⅞	—¼
MH Cable	z45	$10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	
Mclan H A	168	$7	7	7	
MB Ltd	9960	$23	22⅞	23	+⅛
Madeline	4914	86	85	86	+6
Madsen	1000	47½	47½	47½	—½
Magna Int	700	$20½	20⅛	20½	+½
Magnetcs	2000	61	61	61	
Magnum	100	$23½	23½	23½	+1¼
Maistic I	800	226	200	225	
Maistc Wil	2800	191	185	190	—9
Malartic	z200	64	64	64	
Man Bar	z50	66	66	66	
M Lf Mills	175	$28	28	28	—¼
Maplex M	z94	262	262	262	
Marcana	5000	13	12	13	—½
Maritime	928	$18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	+⅛
Mar T 940	900	$10½	10½	10½	+¼
Markel F	300	495	490	495	+5
Martin	8500	8	7½	7½	
Mass Fer	57541	$23⅛	21¼	21¼	—2
Mas F A	z10	$27	26⅛	26⅛	—⅞
Mas F B	4200	$26⅞	26¼	26¼	—⅝
Matgmi A	100	$13¼	13¼	13¼	
Mc Intyre	5860	$28	[illegible]	28	
McLaghlin	800	$6⅛	6½	6½	
Melchers	520	320	320	320	
Mercantil	2549	$15¾	15⅛	15⅛	
Merland E	7280	360	350	355	
Meta Jaran	z600	4	4	4	
Met Istor A	10000	$9¼	9¼	9¼	+¼
Met Stors p	z25	$13¼	13¼	13¼	
Midcon	z40	94	94	94	
Mindamr	3500	11½	11	11	—1
Minrl Res	1400	142	141	141	
Moffat A	300	$8½	8¼	8½	
Molson A	1117	$14¼	14¼	14¼	—¼
Molson B	500	$13½	13½	13½	
Mon Life	z5	$25	25	25	
Monenco A	2000	$8¼	8¼	8¼	
Mtl Trust	300	$10½	10½	10½	+⅛
Moore	9605	$35	34½	34⅜	+⅛
Multi Acc	941	330	325	330	+15
Murphy	2874	$7⅞	7	7⅞	+⅛
Mymar M	z3890	38	38	38	
NBU Mine	64400	140	136	140	+5
NRD Min	1000	19½	19½	19½	+1
NSI Mark	00	51	51	51	—3
NaChrs I	6441	$5⅛	5½	5⅛	
Nat Pete	32400	26	24	25	+1
Nat Trust	200	$13¼	13¼	13¼	
Neonex	15905	205	190	204	+19
New Ath	12000	2	2	2	
NB Tel	1663	$18	17⅞	18	+⅛
NB Tel 1.85	500	$20½	20½	20½	+⅛
N Dimens	2057	50	50	50	
N Goldvue	3000	4½	4½	4½	
N Kelore	2000	13	12½	12½	—½
N Provid D	3100	12	12	12	+1
N Que Ragl	200	190	190	190	+3
N York Oil	3058	110	107	107	—3
Newco Fin	z10	$13½	13½	13½	
Newconx	2400	365	365	365	—5
Nfld LP A	675	$11¼	11½	11¼	
Nfld Tel	1000	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
Nfld Te 975	500	$20½	20½	20½	
Nick Rim	4000	11	11	11	+1
Noble Im	1000	45	44	44	—4
Nor Acme	5000	6	6	6	
Noranda A	8655	$27⅛	26¾	27⅛	+⅛
Norcen	10680	$10⅛	10⅛	10½	
Norcen B	100	$19½	19½	19½	
Norcn 150	800	$20⅞	20½	20½	—⅜
Norcen w	4725	66	66	66	—4
Nordair A	300	155	155	155	+3
Noriex	2000	8	8	8	
NC Oils	1300	$7	6⅞	7	+⅛
N Canada	1300	23	23	23	
Nor Tel	6414	$30½	30	30	—⅜
NTecm B w	1450	$10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	—⅛
Northgat	900	470	455	455	+5
Northld	5000	7½	7½	7½	
Nowsco W	500	$16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	
Nu-WKST A	400	$10½	10½	10½	
Nudlama	7000	15	14	15	—1
Nuf rt Res	3866	16	16	16	—½
Numac	800	$9½	9½	9½	
OPI Ltd Oakwood P	3400	120	118	119	
Obrien	13400	124	121	122	—2
Ocdentl Pt	600	$23⅛	23	23⅛	+⅛
Ocelot B	3000	$8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	+⅛
Okanagan	460	$5¼	5¼	5¼	
Orchan A	1400	212	211	212	—3
Oshawa A	4180	330	310	330	+20
Osnawa w	z1150	3	3	3	
Osisko	500	10½	10½	10½	
Oxford A	1500	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	
P to S					
Pac Coper	5300	95	95	95	+2
Pac Nth G	z10	265	265	265	
Pac Pete	2711	$29½	27¼	27½	+⅛
Page Pet	z50	250	250	250	
Pamour A	6283	295	286	290	—5
Pan Centr	z99	75	75	75	
Pancana I	4100	63	60	60	—15
PanCan P	2300	$24¼	23⅞	24	+¼
Patino N V	z10	$14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	
Paulin A	700	350	340	340	—10
Pe Ben O	4000	270	235	250	—25
Pembin A	1140	380	375	375	
Pembin B	260	375	375	375	
Penningtn	400	$7⅜	7½	7½	—⅛
P Dept S	1200	425	420	420	—5
Petrofina	525	$17½	17	17	
Petrol	2600	218	211	218	+5
Peyto Oils	1800	460	450	460	+10
Pick Crow	605	12	12	12	—1
Pine Point	2230	$27⅜	27	27⅛	+¼
Pitts C	500	435	435	435	
Place G	4500	34	33	34	+1
Placer	1761	$18¼	17¾	17¾	—½
Plysr 840	100	$24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	
Pominex	1500	43½	43½	43½	—½
Pop Shops	5045	475	470	475	
Pow Corp A	18075	$7⅞	7½	7⅞	+⅛
Pre Cable	100	$8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	—⅛
Preston	1300	$13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	
Price Co	5428	$9¾	9⅝	9¾	+¼
Q Brdcast	1000	$5¼	5	5	—¼
Qasar Pet	4100	$8	7⅞	8	
Que Sturg	z2	59	59	59	
Que Tel 7¾	z100	$16⅛	16	16⅛	
Quenswer	200	340	340	340	
Ram	2000	485	480	480	—10
Ranger	8150	$18	17½	17½	—⅛
Rank Org	2600	180	175	180	+5
Rayrock	1600	65	63	63	
Realty A	500	270	270	270	—4
Realty C w	z300	34	34	34	
Redpath A	510	$24½	24½	24½	
Redstone	10500	38	37	38	+1
Reed Pap A	200	$10	10	10	+¼
Reed Oslr A	5760	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	+⅛
Reeves	z300	6	6	6	
Reich wt	100	$9	9	9	—½
Reitman A	500	$8½	8	8½	+¼
Rembrant	800	325	315	315	+5
Res Servic	6500	78	75	75	—5
Revnu Prp	2830	62	62	62	
Rileys D	2080	77	76	76	—3
Rio Algom	670	$26¼	26¼	26¼	—¼
R Little	700	160	160	160	
Rolland	200	375	375	375	—5
Roman	6186	$21	20⅞	21	+⅛
Ronyx Cor	1000	125	123	125	+2
Rothman	600	$15⅞	15½	15⅞	+⅛
Rothm 2p	1700	$1			
Q oyal Bnk	10997	$23⅞	23⅝	23⅞	—⅛
Royal Tr A	5820	$16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	+⅛
Ryanor	4000	5	5	5	
StL Cem A	5050	$14	14	14	
Scintrex	7300	81	81	81	—4
Scot Lasal	694	185	185	185	+5
Scot Paper	100	$23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	—⅛
Scot York	2200	177	177	177	+1
Scurry Rn	z2	$17¼	17¼	17¼	
Seagram	12143	$21¼	21¼	21⅛	—⅛
Seaway M	100	$5	5	5	+40
Seaway w	z100	30	30	30	
Selkirk A	384	$10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	
Shaw Pipe	2800	415	410	415	+15
Shell Can	4541	$14½	14¼	14½	+¼
Sherritt A	4966	$5¼	5⅛	5⅛	
Siebens	900	$13¾	13¾	13¾	
Sigma	z50	$19	19	19	
Silvmq	2000	28½	28½	28½	
Silverwd A	300	$7⅞	7¼	7⅞	+⅛
Silverwd B	312	$8¼	8¼	8¼	
Simpsons	36270	$5	485	5	+5
Sklar M	700	144	142	144	—1
Sklar W	500	57	57	57	—5
Skye Res	600	415	410	415	—10
Skyline H	5500	186	185	185	—1
Slater Stl	1050	$8¼	8	8¼	+⅛
Sogepet	1000	90	90	90	
Somville p	100	$28½	28½	28½	
Southm A	10525	$18⅜	18¼	18¼	—⅛
Spooner	2900	23	23	23	
Stand I A	z75	$9½	9½	9½	
Stelco A	15620	$24¼	23½	24	—¼
Stelco B	276	$23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	
Steep R	3475	205	193	205	+12
Steetley I	3100	$10	10	10	+½
Steinbg A	100	$12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	—¼
Sterystm	500	265	265	265	+5
Strathrn A	1000	64	64	64	—1
Stuart Oil	150	$15¼	15¼	15¼	+1⅛
Sud Cont	13000	15	14	14	—½
Sulivan A	800	100	100	100	
Sunbrst E	30000	8	8	8	
Superior E	1500	50	50	50	
Surpass C	150	200	200	200	+10
Systems D	1001	180	175	175	—5
T to Z					
Talcorp	7700	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	
Teck Cor A	2612	$5⅛	5	5	
Teck Cor B	6831	460	450	460	+15
Tex Can	1002	$23	22½	23	
Txsglf	1610	$28¾	28½	28¾	—⅛
Texmont	8500	6½	6	6½	+½
Thd CGlp	250	$25	25	25	—2
Thom L	500	40	40	40	+1
Thom Ind	900	$8¾	8½	8¾	+¼
Thom N A	18725	$11⅛	11½	11⅛	—⅛
Tombill	3300	45	45	45	+3
Toromont	214	270	270	270	+10
Tor Dm Bk	4487	$17⅛	17½	17¾	—⅛
Tor Star B	4675	$15	14¾	15	+¼
Total Pet	12850	$6¾	6½	6¾	+⅛
Total P A p	800	$14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	+⅛
Totl Pet w	9200	230	215	230	+11
Traders A	960	$13¼	13¼	13¼	
Trade 7½ p	100	$37¼	37¼	37¼	
Tr C Glass	100	$5½	5½	5½	
Tr Can Res	10100	56	54	55	
Trns Mt A	3325	$8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	—⅛
Transair	1200	115	105	105	—15
TrCan PL	5925	$12½	12¼	12½	+⅛
TrCan B pr	260	$32⅜	32⅜	32⅜	—⅛
TrCan C pr	400	$41½	41½	41½	
TrCan D p	2500	$54½	54	54½	+¼
Trizec Crp	450	$10	10	10	
Tundra	19525	8	8	8	—1
Turbo R	4700	215	210	210	—6
Ulster Pet	6300	52	52	52	
Un Carbid	150	$17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	
UGas A	10112	$8½	8¼	8¼	—¼
UGas 5½	400	$29½	29½	29½	
UGas 8¾	300	$20¾	20⅜	20⅜	
U Asbesto	1230	355	345	355	+10
U Canso	8740	$6⅜	6	6⅜	+⅜
U Corp B	125	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	+⅛
U Keno	700	$6¾	6¾	6¾	—⅛
U Siscoe	1050	$5⅜	5½	5⅜	
Un Tire A	1000	125	125	125	+5
Un Wbn w	z10	290	290	290	
UW OG	2000	36	35	35	
Univr Gas	2800	$7	7	7	
U Sections	100	285	285	285	
Upp Can	3000	102	101	102	+1
Van Der	1600	225	224	224	
Versatile	750	$12½	12⅛	12½	
Versatil A	650	$12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	
Vespar	1000	20	20	20	
Vic G Tr	z11	$23	23	23	
Voyager P	800	$16⅛	16	16	
Vulcan Ind	200	$15	15	15	
Wainoco O	900	$5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	+⅛
Walax A	300	$12½	12½	12½	+⅛
Walk GW A	6180	$27⅛	26⅞	27⅛	+⅛
Walk GW B	200	$27¼	27¼	27¼	
Warn Can	600	$6¼	6	6¼	
Wrintn	2000	210	205	210	—5
Weldwod	700	$12	11¾	12	—½
Wstburne	700	$8¾	8½	8½	—¼
Wcoast Pt	1560	$7	6⅞	6⅞	—⅛
W Pet A p	2110	$13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	+⅛
Wcoast T	1010	$26½	26⅜	26½	+⅛
Wcost 8½ p	100	$52	52	52	—½
Wcoast w	4700	380	360	380	+10
Westeel	2010	$12¼	12⅛	12¼	—⅛
W Decalta	100	$8	8	8	
West Mine	800	430	420	420	—10
Westmill	1400	175	175	175	—5
Weston	1700	$12	11¾	11¾	—¼
White P A	100	$15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	
Whithorse	1300	170	166	170	+5
Whonok A	1100	$7¾	7½	7½	—⅛
Willroy	z130	100	100	100	
Win-Eld	1000	2½	2½	2½	+1
Woodreef	21500	81	78	79	—2
Woodwd A	300	$16¾	16¾	16¾	
Yk Bear	13315	320	295	320	+25
Y Lambton	1000	46	46	46	—9
Yukon C	3100	166	160	166	+4
Zellers	5000	265	260	265	+1
Trust Units					
BBC R un	900	$14⅛	14	14⅛	
BBC R wt	1760	223	220	221	+1
BM-RT un	1890	$14⅛	14½	14½	
BM-RT wt	17000	212	210	212	+6
C Perm un	2763	$8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	+⅛
Heitman u	2140	$6⅛	6	6	
Heitman w	4214	16	15	15	—1
TD Realty	1525	$23½	23	23	—½
TD Relt w	2773	77	77	77	—2

New York

NEW YORK (AP) — Profit-taking and oil-price uncertainties pushed stock prices into a moderate decline Thursday, ending a string of six consecutive gains.

Analysts said the market has been bucking resistance from profit-takers for the last few days. However, that pressure intensified early Thursday as investors became more worried that the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries would decide on a substantial increase in oil prices at their meeting this week.

Oil issues generally posted fractional advances.

Steel stocks were mostly lower on word that government anti-trust officials will investigate recent price increases in the industry.

U.S. Steel lost a point, and Armco, Inland Steel and Republic Steel declined fractionally. Bethlehem Steel, however, managed a small gain.

Warner-Lambert fell more than a point. The company said its fourth-quarter earnings would come up short of the 39 cents a share recorded in the last three months of 1975.

Among Canadian issues on the NYSE, Hiram Walker was up ½ at $27⅛, Inco up ⅜ at $30 and Canadian Pacific up ¼ at $15⅞.

Massey-Ferguson was down 1⅞ at $21¼, Hudson Bay down ¾ at $16¾, McIntyre down ¾ at $27½, Bell Canada down ½ at $44¾ and Campbell Red Lake down ½ at $24¾.

CLOSING AVERAGES

30 Industrials	981.30	—2.40
20 Transportation	234.38	—0.05
15 Utilities	105.19	—0.67
65 Composite	318.59	—0.82
Volume 23.92 million		

ACTIVE STOCKS

Vol.		Close	Chge.
283600	McDonalds Cp	51	—1¾
262100	Occid Pete	23	+⅜
221800	Amer Tel Tel	63⅞	—½
217100	Southern Co	16	+⅛
204800	General Mfrs	75⅞	+¼
191000	Westinghs	16⅞	+½
190700	Dow Chemical	41½	+⅞
164300	Citicorp	32⅛	—¼
154300	Texaco	27¼	—¼
130800	Massey Ferg	21	—2
122800	Gen Electric	52¾	—⅛
121200	Signal Cos	25	+1⅜
120900	Sony Corp	9	—¼
119400	Tandy Corp	37⅜	—¼
116900	Con Edison	19⅞	unch

QUOTATIONS

Alcan	22	Hilt	22¾
Alcoa	54¼	HOmestake	37
All Chm	38¼	Honeywell	46
Al-Chim	24¾	In Steel	49
Am Air	13	IBM	2683 PXD
Am Brnds	43	Int Harv	31⅛
Am Bcast	38⅛	Int Nick	30
Am Can	38⅞	Int Paper	67¾
Am El P	24⅞	In Tel T	33⅛
Am Metal	55¾	Johns-Mann	34½
Am Motor	4⅛	Kaiser Alum	33⅛
Am Smelt	16⅛	Kennecott	26½
Am Tel T.	63⅞	Kraft	46⅝
AMF Inc.	20⅛	Kresges	41⅞
Ampex	7⅛	Ling-Temco	11⅞
Anaconda	29⅞	Litton Indus	14⅜
Ash Oil	32½	Lock Air	8½
Atl Rich	59⅞	Matsushita	23⅝
Avco	12¾	McDon Doug	24
Avon	47⅛	Merck	66
Bel How	18⅞	Mer Ly	25⅝
Bendix	41½	Minn MM	55
Beth St	41	Mob Oil	63
Boeing	45⅝	Monsanto	85⅜
Boise Cas	31¾	Motorola	54
BVorden	32⅝	NCR Corp	36
Bo-War	28	Natomas	33⅝
Bri My	65⅛	Newmont	25½
Brunswick	16⅜	Nort Si	20
Burl Ind	29½	Owens-Ill	554 PXD
Burl Nor	46⅜	Pac Gas	22¾
Burroughs	87½	Pan Am	5
Caterpill	54¾	Pepsi	77
Col Bcast	59	Ph Mor	61⅞
Celanese	49¾	Ph Pete	64⅜
Chase Man	28⅞	Pit Bowes	15
Ches-Ohio	41¾	Polaroid	37
Chrysler	18⅞	Proc Gam	90¼
Coca-Cola	75⅜	RCA	26⅞
Col-Palm	26¾	Repub Stl	32
Comsat	32⅝	Revlon	40⅛
Colt-Data	24¾	Safeway	47⅛
Con Edison	19⅞	Schlumb	94¾
Cons Oil-G	10	Scott Pap	20⅛
Crown Cork	19¾	Sears Roe	63⅞
Crown Zell	43⅞	Shell Oil	78
Delta	36⅜	Singer	18⅞
Disney	47	Sperry	45⅛
Dow Chem	41½	Stand Cal	38¾
Du Pont	134¾	Sun Oil	44
East Air	9¼	Sth Pac	35¼
East Kod	84	Talley	9¼
El Paso	14½	Teledyne	70¼
Exxon	53½	Telex	2½
Fair Cam	41	Texaco	27¼
Fed N Mt	16⅝	Tex Gulf	28⅛
Firestone	31	TWA	12½
Ford Mot	60	Uni Carb	61⅜
Gn Skog	22¼	Uni Pac	100⅞
Gen Dyn	53	Uni Oil	57½
Gen El	52¾	Ual Inc	27½
Gen F	31½	Un Br	8¼
Gen Mot	75⅞	US Steel	50⅞
Gen F	31¼	West Air	10⅛
Gen Tire	26¾	Westse	16⅞
Geo Pac	37	Wey	45
Gillette	25⅛	Woolw	24½
Goodyear	23	Wometco	12⅞
Greyh	15¼	Xerox	57¾
Gulf Oil	28⅜	Zenith	28¼

BOX SCORE

	Thurs.	Wed.
Issues traded	1943	1971
Advances	648	896
Declines	851	629
Unchanged	444	446
New highs	—	150
New lows	—	4

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Vancouver

VANCOUVER — Prices were mixed in moderately active trading Thursday on the Vancouver Stock Exchange. Volume was 2 million shares.

In the industrials, Ionarc was unchanged at .10 on 32,200 shares. Newmark lost 2 cents at .36 on 11,000. Proflex rose a penny at .11 on 6,200. International Centura was up a penny at .11 on 3,000. Great National Land was unchanged at .72.

Seneca Development topped the resource and development board, up 35 cents at $3.45 on 82,056 shares. Coynex Development rights was unchanged at one-half cent on 81,300. Pacific Resources was off 2 cents at .68 on 59,300. Charleston gained one-half cent at .15½ on 51,000.

In the curbs, Dallas Exporation rose 3 cents at .43 on 305,500 shares. Lemans Resources gained a penny at .44 on 81,000. Valdez Resource Industries was unchanged at $1.60 on 49,100. Aurus Mining was unchanged at .55 on 45,500.

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Resource and Development					
Aalen	5500	15	14	15	
Alice Lk	3500	5	4½	5	+1
And Mns	3000	13	13	13	+½
Anglo Bo	12800	170	165	169	—1
Arcdia	8000	15	14	14	—1
Arex Rs	800	30	30	30	
Avino	9550	16	15	15	
Balfour	11000	52	49	51	
Barier R	8800	49	48	48	
Bath N	8000	55	52	55	+5
Belcra	19500	5¼	5¼	5¼	+¼
Bll Mly	500	11	11	11	
Blmorl	2000	52	52	52	
Benpel	2100	53	53	53	
Benson	3000	15	14	14	
Beth C A	100	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	
Bow Rvr	2000	22	21	21	—1
Bmieda	1500	135	133	135	+16
Brendx	2280	15½	15½	15½	
Calico	2000	3	3	3	
C Barr	5500	28½	28½	28½	+½
Cd Nat Re	1800	350	340	340	—10
Canwx	10000	4	3	3	—1
Car Bel	850	6	6	6	—1
Carolin	7600	160	140	150	—10
Casino	11000	16	16	16	
Celico R	5000	17	16	17	
Chanda	240	49	49	49	
Charltn	51000	15½	14	15	+½
Charta	1000	5	5	5	—½
Cheyen	12763	130	127	128	—2
Cima	1625	27	27	27	
Clayme	1600	48	47	47	—1
Colby	14500	70	65	69	+1
Clman B	100	475	475	475	
Col A pr	3000	50	50	50	
Clonial	700	76	76	76	—1
Colt Ltd	4449	26	25	25	—1
Cmaplx	3500	17	15	17	
Con Res	2000	65	60	60	—6
C Bound	3000	13½	13½	13½	
Cns Ctex	900	12	12	12	
Cons Col	12000	10	10	10	+½
Cns Kico	3000	19	19	19	
Cons But	500	5½	5½	5½	
Cop Ex	13500	11½	10½	10½	—1
Copr Lk	5000	10	10	10	
Coralta	925	33	33	33	—2
Coseka	4900	420	410	415	+5
Coynex	2700	152	149	152	+2
Cream	7000	14½	14	14	
Cree Lk	600	390	385	390	+5
Cube Re	10600	16½	15	15	—3
Cutlass	4500	14	13½	14	
Cypres	4900	19	19	19	
Dankoe	4340	205	200	205	
Davnpt	1600	37	37	37	
Davoil	2200	40	40	40	
Erly Brd	3000	15	15	15	
Frehid	1000	21	21	21	+½
Futurty	11500	25	25	25	
Galvstn	3000	55	45	55	+10
Giant Ex	1000	3½	3½	3½	+½
Gbritar	1100	$5¼	5¼	5¼	+⅛
G Gate	2000	20½	20	20½	
Gdn Gnt	3800	14	14	14	
Gldn Std	3000	15	14	15	
Grando	15500	5	5	5	
Gr Prx A	3063	145	140	145	+2
Greld E	500	6½	6½	6½	+½
Gsa Res	300	117	115	115	
Hallark	8500	51	50	50	
Henriet	31100	120	101	116	+16
Hi Lode	4000	5	5	5	+1½
Hihawk	4500	13	12	13	
H Merc	1000	16	16	16	—2
Holofi	2300	120	116	116	—4
Host	1300	116	110	110	—10
Imp Met	4000	8¼	8	8¼	
Kamad	4000	10	10	10	
Kent E	2200	18	18	18	
Knobby	2000	35	35	35	+2½
Laguna	3000	7½	7½	7½	+½
Laura	10000	3¼	3¼	3¼	+¼
Lmc Res	28820	26	25	25½	—½
Lori E	14000	14	13½	14	+½
Lornex	200	925	900	925	+45
M M Prc	1000	10	10	10	
MNHE	2500	38	37	37	
Makao	11000	17	15	15	
Marge	1200	14	13½	13½	
Mark V	1000	80	80	80	
Mt Wash	12000	5	2	2	
Nadina	1000	6	6	6	
Nevex	1600	14	13	13	
N Cinch	5000	21	21	21	
Nwcst	1262	14	14	14	
Nw Min	2200	18	18	18	
New Pyr	22500	8½	8	8	
Newvn	600	3½	3½	3½	
Nicola	8000	12	12	12	—4
Nthair	6000	150	145	145	—5
Ntrn egl	11000	9	9	9	+1
NW Vent	1700	68	68	68	+1
Oxbow	4000	111	110	111	—1
Pcifc Rs	59300	72	60	68	—2
P Acher	2125	8	8	8	
Parmnt	2000	2	2	2	
Pthfndr	3200	25	24	25	
Pegsus	8000	41	41	41	
Perry R	4700	175	165	175	+10
Plains P	6000	23	21½	23	+1½
Pondry	15500	13	8	9	—2
Prince	1000	9	9	9	
QC Exp	1000	124	120	124	+1
Qtsino	10000	9½	9½	9½	+1½
Rac Ind	13000	20	19	20	
Reako	1000	10	10	10	
Redfrd	2400	10½	10½	10½	
Rio Plat	2000	30	30	30	+1½
Robert	3000	12	12	12	
Sabina	2300	73	73	73	
Sna Res	10200	30	25	30	
S Jcinto	4000	15	15	15	
Seaforth	4500	20½	20	20	
Seneca	82056	360	310	345	+35
Sbr Res	4000	8	8	8	+1
Shld Dev	2200	40	40	40	
Scintin	500	7½	7½	7½	+½
Silmil	2000	39	39	39	
S Chief	2500	28	28	28	
S Christl	12000	21	20	21	+1
S Sndrd	2800	70	69	69	—1
Skat Res	2800	90	90	90	
Slocan	6500	23	20	23	
Sonic Ry	4210	14	13	14	
Sproat	2550	13½	13½	13½	
Stall Lak	4500	32	32	32	—3
Stampd	900	320	320	320	—5
Sunlife	500	310	310	310	
Tcoma	5818	8	7½	8	
Thor Ex	2000	75	75	75	
Thundr	9331	17	15½	17	+½
Tnta Hill	2200	8	8	8	
Tyee	6500	60	59	59	+1
UCbrge	3250	40	40	40	
Unt Chef	1000	16	16	16	
UFC	3020	19	18	18	
U Hrne	2730	94	92	92	—1
U Gold	2333	9	9	9	
Westid	4500	60	59	59	—1
Vally Cu	936	$5¼	5¼	5¼	
Van Slr	1500	40	40	40	
Vntrl	5000	7	7	7	
Vestor	500	56	56	56	—2
Wlcom	500	72	72	72	
Ykn Rev	13000	40	38	38	
Warrants and Rights					
Coyn rts	z81300	1	½	½	
Pac re wt	46500	32	23	32	+1
INDUSTRIALS					
Alber En	500	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	
Al Ven P	510	155	155	155	
Ardi Ind	1000	20	20	20	—2
BBC Un	200	$14	14	14	
BCT 4.84	200	$13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	
Canfor	1000	$5½	5½	5½	
Doman	100	$5½	5½	5½	
Field	1000	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	+¼
Gestalt	2440	21	21	21	
GN Land	2700	72	71	72	
Grouse	1580	120	120	120	
I Wood	1000	100	100	100	
Intl Cent	3000	11	11	11	+1
I Hydro	750	37	37	37	
Intrpub	z50	315	315	315	
Ionarc	32200	11	10	10	
Keycrp	100	410	410	410	
M B	200	$23	23	23	+⅛
Nwmrk	11000	39	36	36	—2
PN Gas	150	270	270	270	
PNG pr	100	$15¼	15¼	15¼	
Portcm	z13	55	55	55	
Potter	150	385	385	385	
Proflex	6200	11	10	11	+1
T Di pr a	z75	22	22	22	
T Dim I	z300	13	13	13	
Wardr	800	230	225	225	—5
Webb	700	50	50	50	
Warrants and Rights					
Bell Wt	1000	255	255	255	
VANCOUVER CURB EXCHANGE					
Aaron	4000	85	83	85	+2
Abaca	6000	25½	25	25	
Abella	5000	10	10	10	
Amca	5000	22½	22	22	
Arctic	3700	5	5	5	
Ash Res	2200	10	10	10	
Aurus	45500	57	55	55	
Avlncn	3200	310	305	310	
Berkl re	2400	19	19	19	
Betina	5000	32	32	32	
Br Res	1559	18	18	18	+1
BPI	1000	67	67	67	
Bur Gld	3000	8	8	8	
C T Exp	3400	183	170	183	+11
Cmero	5000	23	23	23	
Cannon	4000	14	12	12	
Canrex	2000	29	29	29	+1
Caprice	44500	22	18	22	+1
Cobre	9500	9	9	9	
Con Mon	10833	7	6	5	—1
Cusac	2000	25	22	22	—4
Dall Exp	303500	44	40	43	+3
Data Sys	500	19	19	19	
Decker	1000	36	36	36	
Diana	14000	35	32	33	—3
Dual Res	5500	156	155	155	
Envoy	12000	18	16½	16½	—1½
Espina	11000	12	11	11	
Exel	3000	3	3	3	
Focus R	1200	100	95	100	+5
Gbx Mns	4500	42	41	42	+6
Gall Pet	2400	18	18	18	
Gentry	12500	49	47	47	—1
Gold Ai	2000	16	16	16	
Gold Vly	500	4½	4½	4½	—¼
Grn Res	1000	11	11	11	
Grt Bear	1000	16½	16½	16½	—2½
Hesca	1000	17	17	17	+1
High Str	2500	9	9	9	
Hub	9000	49	48	48	
Shasta	16300	35	32	35	+2
Juniper	2000	7	7	7	
Kndahr	13000	37	35	37	+1
Kariba	4000	7	7	7	+½
Keith	500	10	10	10	
Lanfer	1000	20	20	20	—1
Lmans	81000	47	43	44	+1
Lion Mn	15200	36	35	36	+2
Mace Te	2000	50	50	50	
Mns Dor	14000	90	85	85	—4
Mt Grnd	500	32	32	32	
Mtneer	2000	16	16	16	
Mndee	27500	89	83	88	
Nahal R	1000	27	27	27	
NCong	4800	23	22	23	+½
Nomad	4000	14	12½	14	+2
Norco	5500	59	58	58	
Nu Enry	32000	71	66	70	+3
Olymp	3500	27	27	27	+2
Orina	11000	12	12	12	
Phlco Rs	2000	30	30	30	
Phoe Oil	3000	11½	11½	11½	
Rainbw	1000	37	37	37	
Regenc	5000	133	133	133	
Regis	1000	3	3	3	
Rich Hi	7500	9	9	9	
Robina	500	25	25	25	
Rockel	7000	7	6½	6½	—½
Rnrico	6000	35	35	35	
Ruskin	1000	93	93	93	
Sanil Ind	1000	40	40	40	
Satrn Rs	3000	60	52	60	
Sea Chm	500	5	5	5	
Shelter	1000	21	21	21	
Sioux M	2000	8	8	8	
Skast	7000	13	12	13	+1
Sov	1500	16	16	16	
Susie Gd	4500	20	19	19	
Sym Trd	2300	90	90	90	—8
Tandm	44000	23	21	22	
FRV	8967	100	100	100	
Vldz Res	49100	160	150	160	
Vanita	1000	46	46	46	
Wstley	1000	42	42	42	
Westnd	15000	29	25	29	+3

Mutual funds

TORONTO (CP)—Recent prices of investment funds supplied by The Investment Funds Institute of Canada Thursday. They are the net asset value per share or unit (NAVPS) last calculated by the fund in accordance with its pricing practice as contained in the prospectus of the fund. n—no sales charge, x — U.S. Fund, y — delayed NAVPS, xd—ex-dividend.

Institute Members	
AGF Group	
Amer Grwth	4.81
Cdn Gs Egy	12.71
Cdn Sec Gth	4.51
Cdn Trusteed	4.62
Corp Invest	5.04
Corp Inv Stk	4.40
Gwth Equity	5.64
Japan	8.72
nMoney Mkt	10.00
Special	3.21
All Canadian Gr	
Compound	5.87
Dividend	5.98
Northrn Egy	3.34
Revenue Gth	3.97
Venture	3.39
4000	3.88
Calvin Bullock Gr	
Acrofund	1.14
CIF	3.98
Ciag Inv Grp	
nyCo-opera	9.37
nyLdmk GF	9.47
Eaton Group	
Commwth	15.19
Growth	9.62
Income	4.70
Internatnl	7.58
Leverage	4.13
Venture	3.72
Viking	4.73
Guardian Gr	
Enterprise	.80
GIS Comp	9.22
GIS Income	2.73
yGrwth Fnd	8.77
North Amer	3.49
Mutual Acu	5.21
Mutual Inc	4.24
Sec Income	9.64
World Equity	5.89
Investors Gr	
yGrowth	10.28
yInternatnl	5.90
yJapan	9.91
yMortgage	4.87
yMutual	4.93
yRetiremnt	5.16
yProvidt Mu	6.38
yProvidt Stk	4.78
Nat Res Gth	3.58
Planned Invest Gr	
Canada Com	5.29
Canada Grth	6.94
Pld Resourcs	3.88
Pld Sec Inc	5.71
Taurus	5.00
Pret et Revenu Gr	
American	9.71
Canadien	5.86
h Fonds	4.98
Retraite	6.14
yPrevest Mut	6.14
Prudential Gr	
Growth	5.23
Income	5.29
Savings Invest Gr	
American	8.71
Canadian	5.86
h Fund	4.98
Retiremnt	6.14
Scotiafund Gr	
Scotiafund	.85
Scotiafd Mtg	1.05
United Bond Shr	
yRoyFund	5.62
yRoyFnd Inc	5.18
United Group	
yAccumula	3.79
yAccumu R	3.92
yAmerican	1.38
yCont Mortg	5.05
yHorizon	2.06
ySecurity	4.74
yVenture	2.51
yVenture Ret	4.30
Universal Gr	
Save Equity	7.88
Save Income	5.30
Non Members	
Assoc Inv	4.84
yBeaubran	3.84
nBolt TremE	5.20
Cdn S Atr Gd	3.22
Canagex Gr	
yBond	9.32
Fund	8.77
Internatnl	8.17
yMortgage	10.18
Capital Gth	9.20
xChase	6.53
CML Group	
Growth	6.07
Intl Energy	2.39
Intl Gth	4.46
Intl Income	3.40
Univest	4.76
Desjardins Gr	
yCanadian	6.75
yHypotheq	2.29
yInternatl	7.48
yObligatns	5.24
yQuebec	3.20
yPEP	1.89
nySpec	4.55
Dixon, Krog	5.31
yDomin Comp	6.14
Dreyfus Group	
yInc	12.70
yInternatl	14.04
nExecutv Can	5.62
nExecutv Intl	1.44
xFid Trend	21.78
nHarvard	5.73
Heritage	1.85
Industrial Gr	
Indust Amer	2.45
yIndust Div	5.96
Indust Eq	5.20
Indust Gth	15.94
yIndst Inc	10.23
yIndst Pens	20.98
ITCO	4.62
Keystone Gr	
Cus K-2	5.17
Cus S-1	19.04
Cus S-4	3.65
Polaris	3.22
xLex Rsrch	15.82
xManhatn	2.70
yMaritime Eq	2.37
Marlborough	4.59
Natrusco	12.18
NW Group	
Canadian	4.25
Equity	6.69
Growth	5.00
xOne Wm St	14.64
xOppenhmr	6.45
Pemberton Gr	
nPacific Div	4.87
nPacific Inc	2.76
nPacific Res	2.49
nPacific Ret	4.37
nPacific US	4.48
PHN Group	
yBond	11.01
yCanadian	7.02
Fund	14.91
yPooled	27.78
nyRRSP	10.87
PMF Managmnt	
nPension Mu	5.83
nXanadu Fd	3.35
Principal Gr	
Collective	5.99
Growth	4.15
Venture	2.94
nPutnam	10.45
Sterling Eqty	5.36
xTech	7.36
Temple Gth	11.68
Trans Canada Gr	
A	4.81
C	10.43
Special	4.08
Vanguard	5.72
Western Grth	4.84

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Marks and Spencer 89, Metal Box 226, x-Minorco 207½, x-Phillips 837½, Plessey 55, x-Poseidon suspended, Rank A 118, Rio Tinto Zinc 171, Roan Consol 147½, Sel Trust 430, Second Scott Inv 70¼, Shell T and T 424½, Tanganyika 170, Thomson 367, Thorn 174, Tube Investments 284, Ultramar 109½, Unilever 404, x-Union Corp 215, x-Vaal Reef 987½, Vickers 134, x-Western Deep Level 735, x-Western Driefontein 18⅞, x-West Mines 102⅞, Woolworth 48, W. Holding 13⅞, x-Zambian Copper 14½.

BONDS: Brit Transport 45½, Brit Cons 16½, Treasury 08-12 80⅜, War Loan 25 5-16.

The Financial Times industrial index 322.7, up 8.9.

Grain

WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG (CP) — Grain quotes Thursday, basis Lakehead (contracts for delivery after next Feb. 1, noted in metric tons):

	High	Low	Close
Flax—			
Dec.	—	—	665¾
May	272.80	270.80	272.60
July	—	—	275.00
Rapeseed—Thunder Bay			
Dec.	—	—	550
May	—	—	259.00
July	—	—	250.00
Rapeseed—Vancouver			
Jan.	615	605	610¾
March	275.00	270.50	272.50
June	272.50	268.90	271.00
September	263.50	260.00	262.00
Rye—			
Dec.	224¼	224	224¼
May	94.40	93.00	92.20
July	—	—	95.20
Barley—			
Dec.	196¼	193	196¼
May	92.50	90.50	92.20
July	93.00	92.10	93.00
Oats—			
Dec.	124	123½	123½
May	80.10	80.10	80.10
July	—	—	81.70

CHICAGO

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
December	261½	258⅞	261¼
March	270	268	269¼
May	274½	272	273¼
Corn—			
December	243¼	242½	242½
March	251	250½	250¾
May	256	255	255¾
Oats—			
December	167¾	167	167½
March	165½	164¼	164¾
May	163¼	163¼	163¾
Soybeans—			
January	692	685	690
March	695	687	692½
May	688¼	680½	687

Gold

Thursday's closing gold prices in U.S. dollars per troy ounce: London, 133.25; Zurich, 134.00; Paris, 132.54; Hong Kong, 133.80.

Alberta

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abacus	200	390	385	385	—5
Bearcat	100	390	390	390	—10
Cairn	500	35	35	35	
Carl Obas	1200	150	150	150	—25
Cinnabar	2500	69	66	69	
Cord	1300	350	225	280	+30
Czar	1700	$8¼	8	8¼	+¼
Duke	4000	25	25	25	—6
Howesound	3200	150	140	150	
Invictus	5050	30	30	30	+2
Jetex	1000	90	90	90	
KSF Chemcl	4000	30	30	30	—5
Mid East	5000	22	21	21	—3
Nemco	8500	161	155	155	—6
Norex	5500	41	40	40	—1
Northrm	600	460	455	460	+10
Oilex	1100	100	100	100	
Omega	7200	88	86	88	+3
Petroquest	800	$7½	7⅜	7⅜	
Rio Alto	1000	55	55	55	+3
Sackville	1200	20	20	20	+2
Sparrow	2500	100	100	100	—5
Summit	500	53	53	53	+13
Terra	1200	425	415	425	+25
Tr Gold	7800	325	320	325	+5
Westrn War	5000	24	24	24	

Metals

LONDON (AP) — Thursday's closing metals bid-ask in pounds sterling or metric ton; silver in pence per troy ounce.

Copper—Spot 769-769.5; futures 801.5-802.

Tin—Spot 4,940-4,945; futures 5,075-5,085.

Lead—Spot 280-280.5; futures 290-291.5.

Zinc — Spot 379.5-380; futures 397-397.5.

Silver—Spot 262.2-262.2; three months 272-272.2.

Montreal

CLOSING AVERAGES

55 Industrials	168.24	+0.12
13 Utilities	138.40	—0.34
7 Banks	221.53	—1.41
8 Papers	104.46	+0.71
85 Composite	168.37	—0.12
Volume 440,000		

Slow growth in '77

Little to cheer

MONTREAL — The Royal Bank of Canada's Trendicator sees little reason for happiness in the new year. It forecasts a slow growth rate for 1977 and bases the assumption on the results of the economy's third quarter, which, by its calculations, dropped 0.5 per cent.

The trendicator is a measure used by the bank's economists and is based on national accounts data.

"It now seems virtually certain that this year's modest economic performance will not be matched in the year ahead and that means, among other things, that unemployment will probably continue to rise," Dr. Robert Baguley, senior economist at the bank predicts.

"Prospects for business capital investment expenditures are particularly bleak," he said, "and these will not improve until consumer markets both in Canada and abroad strengthen substantially. Barring personal and corporate tax cuts, Canada will do well to grow by more than 4 per cent in 1977.

"And if that is the case, then we can expect a continued high, and probably higher, unemployment rate — direct employment programs notwithstanding," he added.

The Royal's index now stands at 102.28 — down from its upward-revised level of 102.40 in the second quarter, and up only slightly from its level of 102.24 reached in the fourth quarter of 1975.

The index has remained basically unchanged during the first three-quarters of this year, showing no trend — "a situation" Baguley pointed out," similar to that which has more recently developed with leading indicators in the U.S."

The Trendicator index consits of 11 components whose turning points historically tend to precede trends in the economy. On the average it has anticipated upturns by nine months and downturns by six months.

Figures for 10 of the 11 indicators were available, while the bank assumed for purposes of its calculations that the 11th, liabilities of business failures, remained constant in the third quarter.

Only three of the components, primary steel production, money-supply growth and the ratio of price to unit labor costs increased in the quarter, while the Toronto Stock Exchange price-earnings ratio showed no change.

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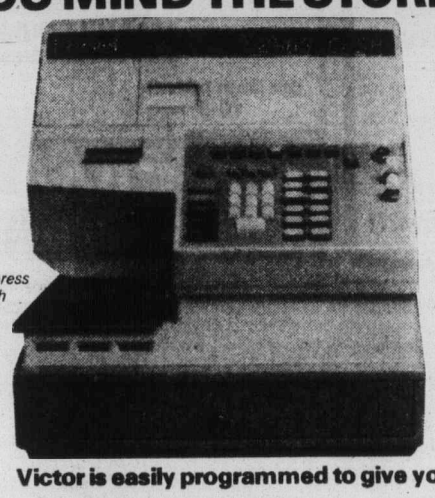

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Labor year tough one for Carter

WASHINGTON (AP) — A heavy year of labor negotiations looms in the United States, and forecasters say unions are likely to help President-elect Carter's anti-inflation efforts by keeping wage increases moderate.

The help is more likely to result from economic circumstances rather than any effort on labor's part to kowtow to the new administration.

About 5 million workers will be affected in major contract talks next year, about the same number as in 1976, which had the heaviest bargaining calendar in three years. A number of key industries will be affected: Steel, coal, telephone communications, aerospace manufacturing, railways and construction.

A sharp increase in wage settlements next year exceeding this year's average increases of 8 to 9 per cent in the first contract year might contribute to worsening inflation.

But labor experts say that the lower-than-expected inflation rates of 1976 and a continuation of a relatively high unemployment rate will help keep wage increases moderate.

"If the faucet is turned on and inflation heats up, unions will seek protection in the form of higher wages," says W. J. Usery, outgoing labor secretary. But he notes that most contracts expiring in 1977 already have cost-of-living clauses that help cushion against inflation, and he says this will remove some wage pressures.

Usery and other experts within the Ford administration predict 1977 settlements at about this year's 8 per cent level. In 1975, settlements average 10 per cent in the first contract year.

Because of high unemployment and the threat of new layoffs, job security is expected to be a major contract goal next year. Some unions are expected to follow the example set by the United Auto Workers this year in winning agreement toward a shorter work week at full pay.

Money

At Montreal

U.S. dollar	1.0156	— 7/50
Pound sterling	1.6935	+19/50

At New York

Canadian dollar	0.9846	+13/100
Pound sterling	1.6675	+ 3/5

U.S. FUNDS

Purchase price of U.S. funds in Victoria area 1.0095 with 1.0125 for travellers' cheques and .9995 for coins. Selling rates 1.0265 for cash and 1.0235 for cheques.

Nominal selling price of other monies in Canadian funds: Australia dollar 1.0925; Austria schilling .0606; Belgium convertible franc .0285; Bermuda dollar 1.0400; Brazil cruzeiro .0891; Bulgaria lev 1.0000; China renminbi .5525; Columbia peso .0295; Czechoslovakia crown .1900; Denmark krone .1760; France franc .2075; Germany mark .4300; Greece drachma .0277; Hungary forint .0461; India rupee .1200; Italy lira .001200; Japan yen .003510; Mexico peso .0530; Netherlands guilder .4125; New Zealand dollar .9600; Norway krone .1970; Poland zloty .0488; Portugal escudo .0340; Romania leu .2111; South Africa rand 1.1950; Spain 'A' peseta .01520; Sweden krona .2470; Switzerland franc .4700; U.S.S.R. ruble 1.2930; Venezuela bolivar free .2420.

Commodities

	High	Low	Close
Silver, Chicago (per oz.)—			
December	4.38.50	4.36.00	4.37.50
February	4.43.00	4.38.00	4.44.00
April	4.47.00	4.41.00	4.44.00
Copper, New York (per oz.)—			
December	59.60	59.00	59.50
January	60.40	59.60	60.30
March	61.20	60.60	61.20
Lumber, Chicago (per 1000 bf)—			
January	183.70	182.00	183.00
March	194.20	192.70	193.50
May	199.50	198.10	198.50
Pork Bellies, Chicago (per 100 lb.)—			
February	53.37	52.25	52.36
March	52.75	51.80	52.00
May	53.10	51.90	52.50
Plywood, Chicago (per 1000 sf)—			
January	194.00	190.80	193.00
March	197.10	194.20	195.00
May	198.70	196.30	197.50
Gold, Winnipeg (per oz.)—			
January	135.00	134.00	134.30
April	136.60	135.60	135.80
July	138.50	137.50	137.80

Livestock

CALGARY (CP) — Sales Thursday at the Calgary public stockyard totalled 1,321 cattle, 134 calves and 586 hogs. There were too few slaughter steers on offer to establish prices. Slaughter heifers sold under pressure but prices remained steady. Cows traded on a strong market at fully steady prices and met a broad local and export demand. Bulls traded on a strong market; A1-2 slaughter heifers over 850 pounds 30-31.40, under 850 pounds 29-30.50, A3-4 28-30, B and C 26-28.50.

D1-2 cows 18-20, D3 17.50-18.50, D4 15-17.50. Good bulls 24-26. There were too few feeder cattle and stock calves on offer in any one class to establish a market. The few feeder cows on offer traded 16-23.50. Hogs: 48.55-48.75, average 48.70.

Silver

Closing basic price of 1,000-ounce certificates in the Victoria area $4.35 U.S. bid per troy ounce and $4.38 asked. Previous day $4.34 and $4.37.

Toronto options

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Closing Prices of all Options — Thursday december 16, 1976

Options	Month	Price	Vol	Last	Close
Alcan	Jan	22½			22½
Alcan	Jan	25			22½
Alcan	Jan	27½	1	15	22½
Alcan	Jan	30			22½
Alcan	Apr	22½	3	185	22½
Alcan	Apr	25			22½
Alcan	Apr	27½			22½
Alcan	Apr	30			22½
Alcan	Jul	22½			22½
Alcan	Jul	25			22½
Dome Pete	Jan	32½			38¼
Dome Pete	Jan	35			38¼
Dome Pete	Jan	40			38¼
Dome Pete	Jan	45			38¼
Dome Pete	Apr	32½	2	6½	38¼
Dome Pete	Apr	35	2	4½	38¼
Dome Pete	Apr	40			38¼
Dome Pete	Apr	45			38¼
Dome Pete	Jul	32½			38¼
Dome Pete	Jul	35	2	6	38¼
Dome Pete	Jul	40	10	3	38¼
Imp Oil A	Jan	17½			20⅝
Imp Oil A	Jan	20	5	100	20⅝
Imp Oil A	Jan	22½	3	15	20⅝
Imp Oil A	Jan	25	6	5	20⅝
Imp Oil A	Jan	27½			20⅝
Imp Oil A	Apr	17½			20⅝
Imp Oil A	Apr	20	9	180	20⅝
Imp Oil A	Apr	22½	7	90	20⅝
Imp Oil A	Apr	25			20⅝
Imp Oil A	Apr	27½			20⅝
Imp Oil A	Jul	17½	2	4	20⅝
Imp Oil A	Jul	20	14	2	20⅝
Imp Oil A	Jul	22½	1	130	20⅝
Moore	Jan	32½			34⅝
Moore	Jan	35	1	85	34⅝
Moore	Jan	40			34⅝
Moore	Jan	45			34⅝
Moore	Jan	50			34⅝
Moore	Apr	32½			34⅝
Moore	Apr	35			34⅝
Moore	Apr	40			34⅝
Moore	Apr	45			34⅝
Moore	Jul	32½			34⅝
Moore	Jul	35			34⅝
Mass Fer	Jan	20	13	2	21¼
Mass Fer	Jan	22½	9	75	21¼
Mass Fer	Jan	25	23	45	21¼
Mass Fer	Jan	27½			21¼
Mass Fer	Jan	30	4	5	21¼
Mass Fer	Apr	20	31	3	21¼
Mass Fer	Apr	22½	14	145	21¼
Mass Fer	Apr	25	10	85	21¼
Mass Fer	Apr	27½	10	35	21¼
Mass Fer	Apr	30			21¼
Mass Fer	Jul	20	2	3	21¼
Mass Fer	Jul	22½	31	2	21¼
Mass Fer	Jul	25			21¼
INCO A	Jan	27½			30½
INCO A	Jan	30			30½
INCO A	Jan	32½			30½
INCO A	Jan	35			30½
INCO A	Apr	27½			30½
INCO A	Apr	30	2	2	30½
INCO A	Apr	32½	2	100	30½
INCO A	Apr	35			30½
INCO A	Jul	27½			30½
INCO A	Jul	30			30½
INCO A	Jul	32½			30½
Noranda A	Jan	27½	3	125	27⅜
Noranda A	Jan	30			27⅜
Noranda A	Jan	32½			27⅜
Noranda A	Jan	35			27⅜
Noranda A	Jan	40			27⅜
Noranda A	Apr	27½	2	2	27⅜
Noranda A	Apr	30			27⅜
Noranda A	Apr	32½			27⅜
Noranda A	Apr	35			27⅜
Noranda A	Apr	40			27⅜
Noranda A	Jul	27½			27⅜
Noranda A	Jul	30			27⅜
Noranda A	Jul	32½			27⅜
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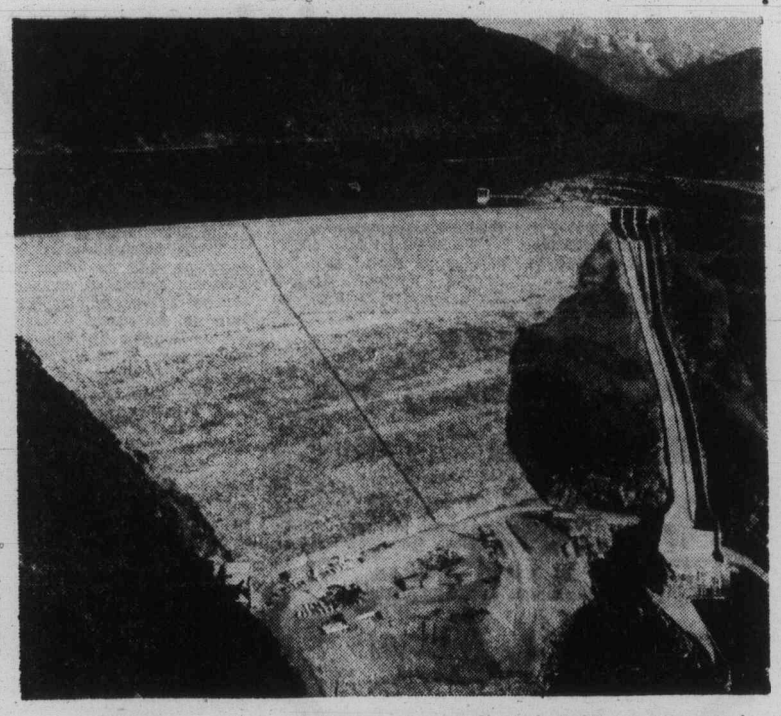

Mica starts

First power from B.C. Hydro's Mica project north of Revelstoke is pulsing to 900,000 customers across province. Generators are in underground powerhouse in embankment at left.

Pound heads down

LONDON (AP) — Dissatisfaction with Britain's latest austerity budget sent the British pound lower Thursday while jitters over future oil prices nibbled at the United States dollar on exchange markets around Europe.

Gold prices fell from Wednesday's closing of $134.875 U.S. a troy ounce in London and Zurich to $133.75 in the former and $134.625 in the latter.

The West German mark was the favored currency of the day, closing at an all-time record against the French franc in Paris — 209.070 francs per 100 marks.

The pound ended the day at $1.6625, compared with $1.6835 just before and $1.67 after Wednesday's British government announcement of plans to top $4.25 billion from public spending over the next two years.

Earnings

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National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada Ltd., 39 weeks ended Oct. 30: 1976, $573,000, 79 cents a share; 1975, $556,000, 77 cents.

Scurry-Rainbow Oil Ltd., year ended Sept. 30: 1976, $4,771,000, $1.80 a share; 1975, $2,978,000, $1.12.

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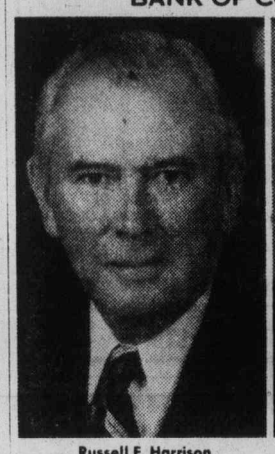

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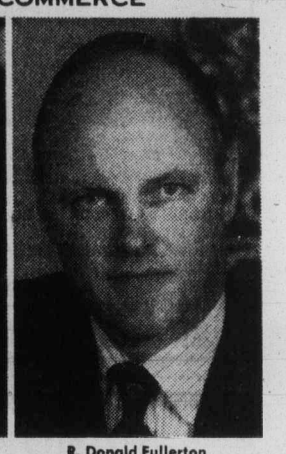

R. Donald Fullerton

The Board of Directors of Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce is pleased to announce the election of Russell E. Harrison as Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Bank and of R. Donald Fullerton as President and Chief Operating Officer.

Mr. Harrison was educated at the University of Manitoba, saw military service in Europe during World War II, and joined the Commerce in 1945. After holding positions of increasing responsibility in Winnipeg, Hamilton and Toronto, he became Regional General Manager, in charge of the Bank's Quebec operations, in 1963. He returned to Toronto in 1969 as Executive Vice-President and Chief General Manager and in the following year was named a Director. In 1973, he was elected President and Chief Operating Officer. Mr. Harrison has served as President of the Canadian Bankers' Association, is a director of a number of Canadian companies and is active in community affairs on a national and a local basis.

Mr. Fullerton is a graduate of the University of Toronto and also studied at Harvard University. He joined the Commerce in 1953 and, after holding various positions, became Regional General Manager, Saskatchewan, in 1966. In the following year he was appointed Regional General Manager of the Bank's international operations. A year later, he became Deputy Chief General Manager and, in 1973, Executive Vice-President and Chief General Manager. He was elected a Director of the Bank in 1974. Mr. Fullerton is a Vice-President of The Canadian Bankers' Association, a director of several Canadian companies and has an active community involvement in a number of organizations.

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Home video tape fight begins

NEW YORK (UPI) — The inevitable battle over the use of home videotape recorders to tape television programming has begun in a legal test that will decide if a new generation of home entertainment equipment is here to stay.

Film studios are claiming the ability of viewers to tape movies shown on TV is creating home film libraries that diminish the value of the studios' products and violate their copyright protection.

"We just don't want people copying our films," says Los Angeles attorney Stephen Kroft, representing Universal City Studios Inc. and Walt Disney Productions Inc., which last month brought a federal court suit against Sony Corp. of America.

The suit's target is Sony's Betamax, which allows home recording while the viewer is away or looking at another channel for repeated playback later on. Introduced a year ago in a color TV console costing some $2,300 U.S., Betamax sales began to rise sharply when a compact $1,300 Betamax deck that attaches to any TV was brought out earlier this year.

Sony backed the products with a large advertising budget and in the three months ended in November, Betamax sales totaled some 15,000 units. Now Sony says the studio suit has helped as well.

"We've been saying all along that Betamax is a good product. Now Universal and Disney have come along and given veracity to our claims," says Sony president Harvey Schein.

Sony calls Betamax a "time-shift" machine — allowing the viewer to see something on television he otherwise would miss. Rather than hurt the entertainment industry, Betamax expands the viewing audience for programming, making it more valuable, Sony says.

"They are trying to tell us what we can do in our own homes; the copyright law never intended that," exclaims Schein.

Kroft rejects Sony's time-shift claims. "The bottom line prohibits copying for whatever use," he says of the law.

The videotaping case raises issues similar to those surrounding the introduction of audio recording equipment which allows the listener to tape music from a radio or a friend's album, a still somewhat fuzzy legal question.

Audio recording became too widespread to curb and with estimated Betamax sales of 60,000 to 70,000 predicted for 1977, more viewers are getting used to TV recording that the studios are asking the court to stop.

"We can see the litigation going on for years and each month, thousands of Betamax buyers become parties to the suit," says Schein.

Universal and Disney have not asked yet for a court order against the sale of Betamax or Betamax tape cassettes but Kroft says there still is time to halt videotaping.

Soaring sales of Betamax cassette blanks, indicating library buildups, may have prompted studio action but another reason may be the interest of universal's parent, MCA Inc., in a videodisc playback machine developed jointly with N. V. Philips, the Dutch electronics firm.

Unlike Betamax, the MCA-Philips disc player and a rival model by RCA Corp. cannot record programs but will use home TV screens for playback of programming on purchased discs. Although much cheaper, the disc players will face a tough market from an already-entrenched Betamax when they are introduced, perhaps next year.

"The disc player has no copyright problems because it does not have the ability to record," says Sony's Schein. "But if Betamax prevails, the videodisc may never come out."

Record profit

NEW YORK (AP) — American Telephone and Telegraph Co. continued its unprecedented profits record Wednesday, reporting earnings of more than $1 billion for the second quarter in a row.

The largest utility in the United States said it earned $1.03 billion in the three months ending Nov. 30. The $1.01 billion earned in the previous quarter was believed to have been the first time U.S. corporation earned $1 billion or more in a three-month period.

Egypt buys wheat

WINNIPEG (CP) — The Canadian wheat board Thursday announced the sale of 500,000 metric tons (18.3 million bushels) of wheat to Egypt.

The sale is the first major one to Egypt since 1970. It was negotiated for the wheat board by Continental Grain Co. (Canada) Ltd. and made possible by a federal repayment guarantee which allowed the board to extend credit.

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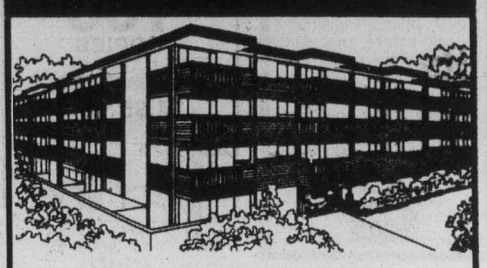
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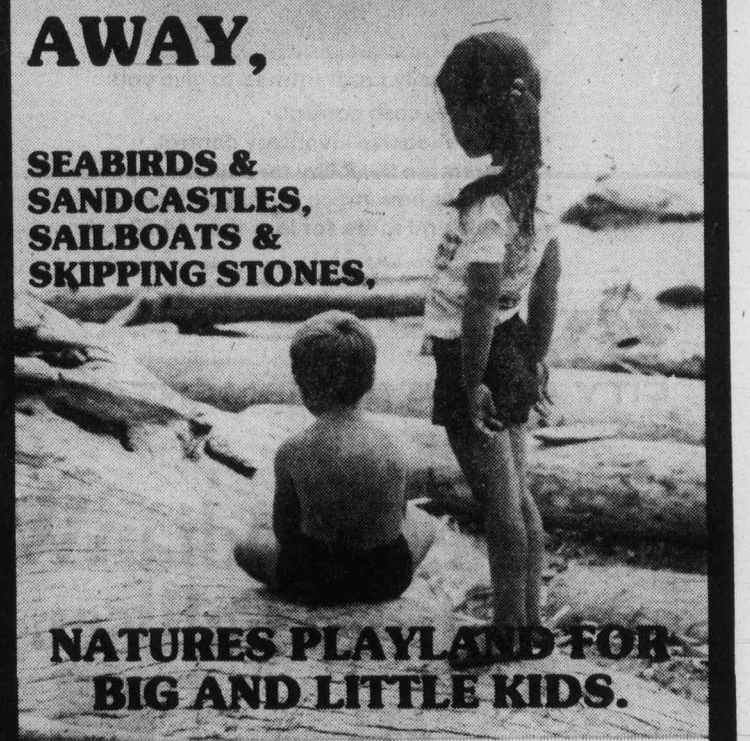
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Clare Culhane carried bodily out of prison

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP) — Clare Culhane, a prison activist, was arrested and carried out of a B.C. Penitentiary office Wednesday after she refused to leave.

Ms. Culhane told Bob Swan, acting prison director, that she was staying until eight demands for improvements at the penitentiary were met.

When Swan refused to discuss the first demand, that certain members of the citizens advisory committee witness talks between Ms. Culhane and Swan, Ms. Culhane refused to go and was charged with trespassing.

New Westminster police carried her out of the building to a patrol car and later into the police station.

Released a short time later, Ms. Culhane said she will picket outside the prison and go without food until Christmas.

The prison staff is "monitoring" the atmosphere among prisoners following the incident, Jack Stewart, spokesman for penitentiary officials, said later.

Ms. Culhane said she hoped her presence would lead to improvements in the prison.

"I was making myself their (the administration's) hostage whether they wanted me or not," she said.

A news release printed before she went into the offices said she intended to remain there without food until her demands were met.

Some of the demands were: The transfer of all men out of the damaged east block to corridors, the television lounge and the gymnasium; the reinstatement of visiting rights; permission for super-maximum unit prisoners to spend several hours a day among the general prison population; permission to hold a news conference with the prisoners' committee and representatives of the super-maximum unit.

Stewart said the penitentiary service will not meet Ms. Culhane's demands.

Raise for PM, Clark above AIB line

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Trudeau, his 32-member cabinet, 26 parliamentary secretaries, Opposition Leader Joe Clark and NDP Leader Ed Broadbent all will get pay raises Jan. 1 that exceed Anti-Inflation Board guides.

All will receive an automatic seven-per-cent boost in salaries and allowances that will push their pay higher than the $2,400-a-year increase allowed under government wage and price control regulations.

Ordinary MPs will also receive a seven-per-cent raise Jan. on salaries of $24,000 and tax-free expense allowances of $10,600. But the increase will only come to $2,300 because it is rounded off to the nearest $100 below the actual calculation.

Broadbent urged the government Thursday to block any increase above the $2,400 ceiling imposed by the Liberal administration when it started controls more than a year ago.

Trudeau will get a raise of $4,600 next year, nearly double the allowed limit. Currently he receives the $34,600 given all MPs, plus $33,333 because he's prime minister.

Clark and cabinet ministers, who now receive $20,000 in addition to their $34,600 in salary and allowances, will get pay boosts of $3,800 next year.

And Broadbent, parliamentary secretaries, party whips and Opposition House Leader Walter Baker will get raises of $2,700, based on seven per cent of their usual pay, plus $5,300 in benefits that go with their parliamentary positions.

The increases, automatic under a bill passed by Parliament, were frozen last December. Then, Trudeau announced that MPs would not receive a scheduled seven-per-cent increase in salary as part of the government's austerity program. They had been given a 33.3-per-cent pay raise the year before.

When he announced the freeze, Trudeau excluded a freeze on tax-free expense allowances. But the government later imposed a control on that benefit to cool public protest.

Trudeau refused to discuss the subject with a reporter Thursday, but External Affairs Minister Don Jamieson said the government was checking to see whether an increase in the $10,600 tax-free allowance would be outside the $2,400 yearly limit ordered by the controls board.

Senators also receive a seven-per-cent raise on their annual salaries of $24,000 and tax-free allowance of $5,300.

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Finance men arrested in U.K. fraud

LONDON (Reuter) — Scotland Yard detectives arrested a Bank of England official and five other men Thursday in connection with an alleged $1.6 million fraud.

The arrested men included lawyers and investment brokers who work in London's financial district.

Scotland Yard officers would say only that the men had been brought in for questioning and refused to name any of them.

The fraud squad has been investigating suggestions that foreign currency regulations have been used as the basis for fraudulent operations.

These have involved a premium payable by Britons on currency used for buying assets abroad which is recoverable when these assets are sold, reports published here said.

PM opens up by the week

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Trudeau has decided to hold once-weekly news conferences in a move designed to free him from the present impromptu talks with reporters around Parliament almost daily.

Trudeau proposes a formal weekly news conference on Thursdays during the parliamentary session.

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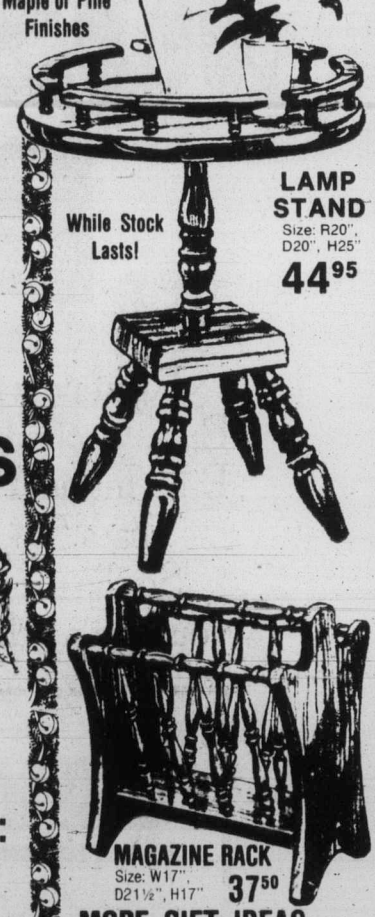

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He made his mark—$40,000

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich. (AP) — It was last September that Stephen Holcomb walked into the bank with a 1923 German 100,000-mark note, and folks here are still shaking their heads.

The 31-year-old Holcomb talked the bank into exchanging the worthless 1923 German bill for nearly $40,000 and then proceeded to spend the money in high style.

Don Dooley, the International Harvester dealer here, said Holcomb had asked him if he could use the bill to buy a fancy new I-H Scout with an AM-FM radio.

"I told him I couldn't take that thing," Dooley recalled. But Dooley did call the National Bank Trust Co. to ask what 100,000 German marks were worth, apparently forgetting to mention what year the bill was issued.

Later, Holcomb strolled back to the dealership with a handful of cash. The bank had exchanged the old note for $39,700. Holcomb began buying and kept buying, though he knew it couldn't last. "I have a lot of good memories," he said after it was over.

Holcomb drove his new $7,000 Scout to Chicago and set up at a hotel where he once tipped the elevator operator $900. "I thought he was doing a real good job running that elevator, that's all," he said.

He bought a stereo tape deck, a double-barrel shotgun, a pistol and a new fishing pole. When he got back to Traverse City his windfall was down to $20,000 and the spree was about over.

Sheriff's detective Jim Palmer paid a visit to Holcomb at his motel room and left with all his new toys. The bank also took possession of the money Halcomb had deposited in an account.

No criminal charges have been laid against Holcomb, but the bank, which will not discuss the case, has sued for the $18,177 it has not recovered.

A banking expert in Detroit said the German note was actually worth "less than a U.S. penny even when it was printed" in 1923—a period of inflation so high in Germany that prices rose hourly and people brought money in wheelbarrows to make ordinary purchases.

Holcomb said the bill had been around his house as long as he could remember. His mother once was an antique dealer, he said.

Victim's families lay claims

COLUMBUS, Ohio (UPI) — A man killed last Friday when his private plane crashed in Indiana had at least two wives and families and may have had as many as four, Franklin county prosecutor George Smith said here.

Smith said Joseph Gordon Sharp, Gahanna, Ohio, has a family in Gahanna and one in Grosse Point Park, Mich.

A woman from Montreal has also notified officials that she is married to Sharp and a fourth woman from Chicago may also be involved with the dead man, Smith said.

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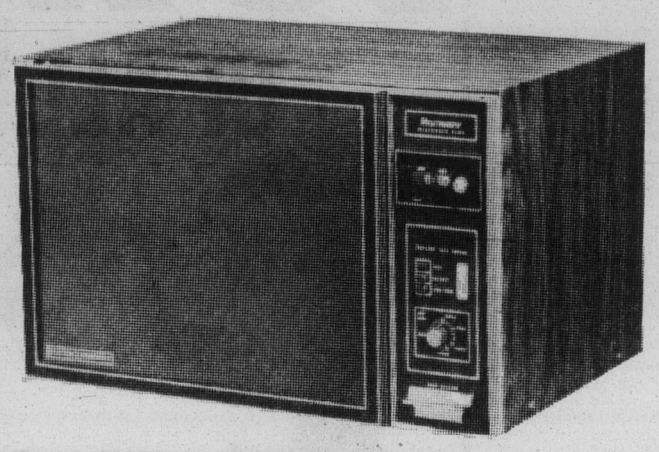

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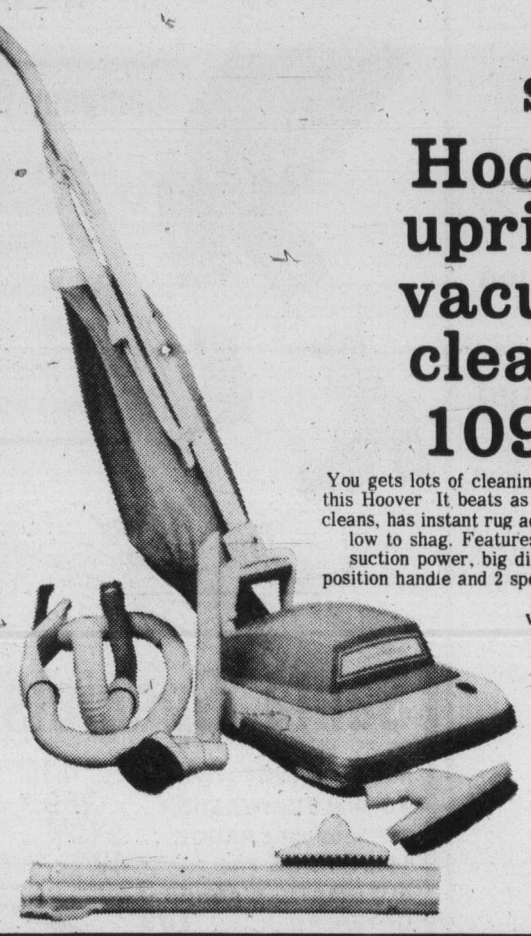

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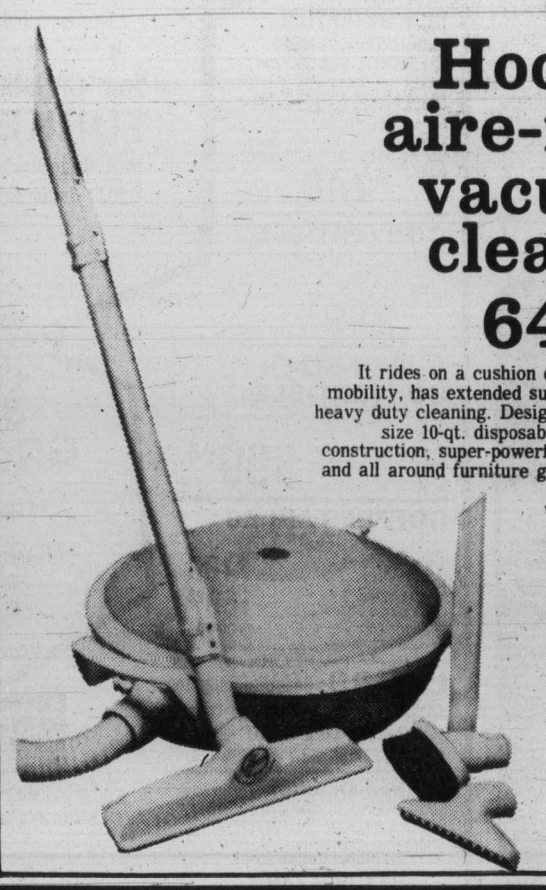

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Drug may be safe

Use of male pill 'a decade away'

NEW YORK (AP) — One male birth control pill may be safe and effective in reducing sperm production, early tests on humans show, although widespread use is at least a decade away.

The report on the male pill was one of several on new approaches to contraception presented to a Ford Foundation seminar marking the publication Wednesday of a major study on the reproductive sciences.

The report cited more than 200 promising research developments that could lead to more effective fertility control, including, along with the male pill, a vaccine to prevent pregnancy, agents that might keep the fertilized egg from taking root in the womb and a once-a-month contraceptive.

Research on the male pill is based on the fact that steroid hormones are among the chemical substances known to suppress the production of sperm by the testes. But the steroids can produce such side effects as loss of libido, or psychic energy, so the male pill is a combination of the steroid danazol and a synthetic male hormone, testosterone.

A first study involved 88 normal male volunteers, 19 to 35 years old, each getting a daily oral dose of danazol and a monthly injection of a testosterone. It was effective in 83 per cent of the men in reducing sperm production to essentially infertile levels, with minor adverse reactions, the study said.

After the dosage was stopped, sperm production returned to pre-drug levels within six months, establishing reversibility.

The current study will examine what happens when the testosterone dosage is altered, to see if it is possible to avoid adverse reactions seen with high male hormone exposure. These include blood pressure changes.

The study, sponsored by the Ford Foundation, was directed by Dr. Roy Greep of the Harvard Medical School and carried out with help from the Rockefeller Foundation and the International Development Research Centre of Canada.

Vietnamese died in thousands—priest

PARIS (AP) — A Canadian Jesuit priest recently expelled from Vietnam after 19 years of missionary work estimates that between 15,000 and 20,000 Vietnamese committed suicide rather than live under Communist rule.

Rev. Andre Gelinas, now in Montreal, said he believes most of the suicides took place over a three-week period after the Communists declared a currency ultimatum in Saigon — now Ho Chi Minh City — in September, 1975.

He based his estimate on reports from hospital officials and from survivors of suicide pacts.

Vietnamese officials here declined to comment.

Western diplomatic sources in Paris said: "We have heard these reports about harsh conditions and suicides but we cannot verify these rather startling figures."

Gelinas, 52, also spoke of extermination of South Vietnamese officers and anti-Communist guerrillas and elimination of the Viet Cong.

His report recently appeared as a two-part series in the Paris news magazine L'Express.

Gelinas, who arrived in Vietnam in 1957 and lived under Communist rule from the fall of Saigon in April, 1975, until he was expelled 15 months later, said, "The real big test began with the monetary restrictions."

"After having frozen bank accounts June 10, 1975, the government announced to the people in September that they had 12 hours to carry all their money to the bank. Afterward, it would no longer be valid. Each family could keep the equivalent of about 1,000 francs ($200).

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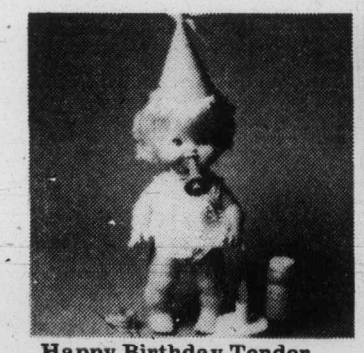

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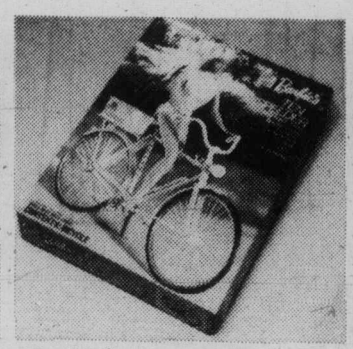

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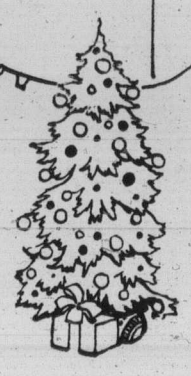

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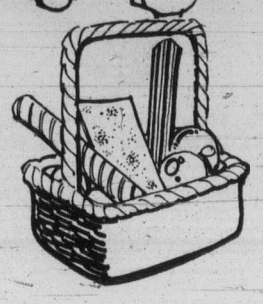

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Aerial photo shows Twin Otter upside-down in strait as rescue vessel stands by

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AirWest passengers walk to safety at Ogden Point Thursday, among them Gwenneth Saunders who gets help from son Christopher

Servants reach pay deal

The long struggle for a new wage contract has ended in tentative agreement between negotiators for the province and the B.C. Government Employees' Union.

While leaders of the 35,000-member union say the proposed settlement falls short of what they wanted, they will recommend acceptance by members of the 13 components.

General secretary John Fryer said the original goal might have been achieved through strike action, but the negotiating committee had wanted to avoid such a step.

Terms of the proposal are not being released until they have been made known to the membership. A vote is expected to be completed by late January.

When talks broke off last summer the union had rejected a $45-a-month wage increase, holding to its demand for $65.

In recent meetings with mediator Clark Gilmour, the union was known to be interested in the matter of retroactive pay. Whether that has been achieved isn't known, although the proposed agreement dates back to October, 1975, and terminates next July 31.

Housing plan runs into minefield

Roy Road project future cloudy

By BILL SMITH
Colonist Reporter

A provincial government proposal for housing at Panama Flats in Saanich appeared headed for the rocks after a barrage of vehement opposition from residents at a public hearing Thursday.

The proposal to construct 334 units on 75.8 acres bounded by Wilkinson, Roy, Carey and Interuban was attacked incessantly during the lengthy meeting which attracted more than 250 people to Saanich council chambers.

Housing Corporation of B.C. officials bore the brunt but aldermen also were criticized.

Victoria MLA Charles Barber questioned whether the housing could be considered affordable when lots would be selling for between $25,000 and $28,000.

"Is it not reasonable to ask if the proposed project was not a big mistake right from the beginning?" he asked of council. "Cut your losses and admit your mistake."

He said council had the power to benefit future generations by "turning the whole foolish proposal down."

After being assured by housing corporation officials that "no one is going to build any homes on the flats," Barber wanted to know, if such were the case, why studies to reshape Colquitz Creek were undertaken.

He also asked how it was possible to make an intelligent evaluation of such a major project "when all the information is not yet in."

Barber said "too much contradictory information exists about the proposal."

The MLA said a consulting engineer's estimates of $105,000 for reshaping the creek was "ridiculously low."

Municipal services provided by the development would include improvements to Carey and Interurban Roads and construction of a trunk sewer through the development designed to provide services to adjacent areas.

Reshaping of the creek was opposed by Dr. Robert Langford on the grounds that wildlife habitat would disappear from the flats.

He recommended there be no alteration in the channel below Interurban to the Trans-Canada Highway and that ponding be continued in Colquitz Creek between Hyacinth and Roy Roads.

Flooding was essential each winter to preserve the area for waterfowl, he said.

School board officials said they approved of the proposal, as did former alderman Leslie Passmore.

He said such housing was desperately needed in Saanich because "many people are living in hotels and in illegal suites because they can't find a reasonably-priced home."

Richard Burton, 4155 Wilkinson, said "Our studies indicate about 60 per cent of the units will be built on the 200-year flood plain."

Flooding in winter was already a problem for houses nearby "and to make the land suitable for housing will require extensive fill and straightening and widening of the Colquitz Creek."

Burton said widening the creek by eight to 10 feet for 3.3 miles (nearly half its total length) would have a tremendous environmental impact.

"If Colquitz Creek is tampered with in the fashion suggested, the fisheries enhancement program planned for this section of the creek would be virtually impossible.

"Eight years of work, planning and physical effort already invested in the creek by former Saanich mayor Hugh Curtis, Saanich municipal staff, federal and provincial fisheries and many dedicated volunteers would be wasted," Burton said.

The amount invested so far in rehabilitating the creek was close to $250,000, he said. "If recommendations in the Ker Priestman report are acted upon, this money will have been wasted."

He described as ludicrous an offer by the developer to donate 40 acres of the site as parkland, adding: "The land in question is within the flood plain and maintains the consistency of a wet sponge much of the year."

Burton said if the land was drained and declared suitable for housing, numerous problems could arise, including uneven settling as the spongy ground dried out.

If the area was mainly peat, as swampy regions tended to be, Burton predicted that even after it was completely dried it would be very crumbly.

He predicted that even after the ground settled, any buildings built on the low-lying or filled areas would be subject to continuous foundation, plaster and stucco cracking.

Burton said the ancilliary costs involved in the development were of grave concern to his group. "Are these costs to be added to lot prices or are Saanich taxpayers once again going to be asked to bear this weighty financial burden?" he asked.

Rent limit stays put — premier

Landlords will have to hold their rent increases to the established annual 10.6 per cent throughout 1977, Premier Bennett indicated Thursday.

Legislation is no longer required to approve rent hike ceilings each year.

Present limits were set for 1975-76 at 10.6 per cent, a figure tenants claim is too high and landlords too low. The premier said there were no immediate plans for the cabinet to discuss future increases in the rent ceiling.

Amendments to the Landlord and Tenant Act, passed in the 1974 fall session of the Legislature, incorporated the 10.6 into permanent legislation unless the act is again amended.

Trustees go private, get public praise

The headmaster of the private school to which two public school trustees send their children said the trustees' concern about the public school system should be considered a point in their favor.

Hamish Simpson, headmaster of Glenlyon School for Boys in Oak Bay, said in an interview that "a considerable number of school trustees in the Greater Victoria school district have been involved with independent schools over the years."

"It is significant that they show a wider interest in education and schools, than simply the schools which their own children attend," Simpson said.

He pointed out that Greater Victoria school board chairman William Ross has had a well-known affiliation with a private school, as headmaster of Brentwood College, but this had not stopped Ross from taking an interest in the operation of the public school system.

"Many of our parents have put a lot of time, effort and interest into improving public education."

At the moment, school trustee Janet Baird has one child enrolled in Glenlyon, and incoming trustee Bud Smith has two children attending classes there.

Referring to a Victoria Chamber of Commerce committee which has been set up to investigate how common it is for public school teachers to send their children to private schools and to see if the qualities of private schools could be put into public education, Simpson said "the chamber will find it difficult to translate the independent school atmosphere into the public schools."

Most independent schools are much smaller than public schools (Glenlyon enrols 206 students in Grades 1-10), and their relationship with teachers is quite different.

"Our teachers have better control of discipline, and a freer hand in how they teach, but they are also all on one-year contracts. I don't know if that would work in the public school system."

The independent schools are academically oriented, and geared to university entrance, which would not be good for all students, Simpson added. "A student who wants a vocational program would not find it offered in the independent schools."

He agreed with Greater Victoria Teachers' Association president Walter Kitley that teachers should have the same right as others to educate their children where they wished, and that the only cause for concern would be if teachers' children were represented in larger than normal numbers in the independent schools.

"We have some teachers' children here, but also children from many other backgrounds. They are not a greater part of our enrolment than normal."

Oak Bay delays pumping station ruling for study

Oak Bay council didn't appear eager Thursday to set a definite date for its decision on the controversial Shoal Bay pumping station.

Council had been asked in a Dec. 8 motion by the Capital Region Board to let it know when a decision was anticipated "with respect to the Shoal Bay pumping station" which is essential to the region's Clover Point outfall extension now in first stages of construction.

Council backed down earlier this year on the Shoal Bay pumping station after protests on that site from residents in the area. A committee was subsequently struck by Mayor Brian Smith to investigate the feasibility of a pumping station or an alternative and the best location for whatever choice.

Ald. John Goult told council Thursday the special committee, consisting of both aldermen and ratepayers, would likely file its report near the end of January.

Goult predicted that council wouldn't rule on the report until mid-February.

Council then agreed to inform the regional board of this situation.

In other business, council received and filed a letter opposing amalgamation of the core municipalities from William Stavdal, of 2106 Marine, but not before commenting on its contents.

In his letter, Stavdal argued that local governments maintain a sense of community through accessibility.

Goult said the letter "expresses the views of this council."

A Victoria alderman and Oak Bay resident, Ron McKenzie, has been speaking out lately on the advantages — mainly economic — of amalgamation.

Pay up or get out, academy told

Riding academy's Donald and Aileen Carley

The Victoria Riding Academy was dealt another blow by Oak Bay council Thursday — eviction from its Cedar Hill Crossroads location if taxes are not paid in full by the end of the month.

Aileen Carley who with her husband Donald has operated the academy at its present location for more than 20 years, said in a phone interview later that the $8,800 owing the municipality for 1976 would be paid.

She said the academy had a special bank account for this purpose.

Although council's motion is the first notice of eviction served on the academy, which rents its premises from the municipality, council has threatened similar action in the past to collect taxes in arrears on the 9.6-acre site.

Earlier this month council rejected an appeal for tax exemption for the academy during 1977.

The motion Thursday was introduced after council acknowledged receipt of a letter from Elsie Spratt, one of several other persons who have been trying to extend the academy's life.

No mention was made during the council meeting of the letter's contents which noted the existence of a riding establishment in Ottawa's green belt which pays only a business tax. Mrs. Spratt was not available later for comment on council's motion.

Mayor Brian Smith said after the meeting his municipality had dealt patiently and sympathetically with both the academy and the Carleys.

Smith said senior governments required that taxes be paid, and he rejected the idea that council could make a grant in lieu of taxes.

"If we give a grant to one, then we have to give a grant to the others (private recreational operations)," he said.

As for the Ottawa riding establishment mentioned in Mrs. Spratt's letter, Smith said: "I'd like to live in a community where the federal taxpayers pay for the leisure facilities."

Smith said council had no proposals for the use of the property, whose worth he estimated at $1.3 million, in the event of default.

No breaks for Canucks in nightmare season

Everything seems to go wrong for Vancouver Canucks, who Thursday night slipped quite a bit closer to a club shakeup by getting a 7-3 bouncing from Detroit Red Wings, a club with almost as many problems.

Still in playoff position only because they are fortunate enough to be included in the National Hockey League's most-inept division, the Canucks even had trouble getting out of Vancouver.

Their flight was delayed for some time, and they weren't airborne until about 1:30 Thursday morning. That's 4:30 in Toronto, and it was past breakfast time when the Canucks reached that point of their trip. There weren't too many hours left to get to Detroit Olympia, and the Canucks were a tired and touchy group when they reached the ice.

The Wings, playing their first home game in 19 days and not exactly fresh from the 7-3 beating they took in Cleveland on Wednesday night, were quick to take advantage of the edge they still had.

They scored twice in the first seven minutes and were 3-1 leaders starting the second period. Canucks gradually found their legs and were 3-3 by 13:13 of the second period.

Then it happened again. Only 13 seconds after Gerry O'Flaherty had shot the 3-3 goal, Michel Bergeron broke the tie, and Walt McKechnie made it 5-3 for the last period with a goal at 17:30.

A two-goal deficit against the Wings isn't all that discouraging, but the Canucks went the wrong way when they did something about it. A bad pass inside their zone was turned into the sixth Detroit goal, and it was less than a minute later that McKechnie scored on a clean break with defencemen Dennis Kearns and Mike Robitaille trapped.

McKechnie had two assists to go with his goals in helping the Wings to a four-point lead over the last-place Washington Capitals.

Pittsburgh closed within a point of the second-place Los Angeles Kings by edging Cleveland Barons 5-4, ending a winning streak at three games.

Jean Pronovost had two goals and two assists for the Penguins in a see-saw game which was won at 10:59 of the third period when Pierre Larouche, who had missed 11 games because of a broken thumb, snapped a 4-4 tie.

Barons tied the score four times, three times in the second period and the fourth time only nine seconds before Larouche scored. One of the Baron's three second-period goals came on a penalty shot taken by Al MacAdam, who had been held by rookie Russ Anderson.

Thursday night was also a bad one for New York Rangers, St. Louis Blues and Chicago Black Hawks.

Bidding to make a four-team race out of it in the Patrick Division, the Rangers were slaughtered by Buffalo Sabres, 7-2.

Flying since they split up their French Connection line and got Danny Gare back from the injured list, the Sabres allowed the Rangers only 14 shots on goal.

Gare, who opened the scoring, Gil Perreault and Don Luce scored in the first period to establish a 3-0 lead, then Rick Martin took over in the second period by scoring his 17th, 18th and 19th goals of the season.

Victory kept the Sabres within a point of Boston Bruins, who came out of a slump to extend the St. Louis skid with a 5-2 decision.

Terry O'Reilly, who had a personal slump of 20 games, led the Bruins with two goals and Brad Park again made his presence important with three assists. It was only the second win in nine games for the Adams Division leaders, who broke a losing streak at three games.

Flyers extended their unbeaten streak to 13 games as they made it another blank night for the Smythe Division. Good goalkeeping by Tony Esposito kept the Hawks close, at 0-1, until almost the midway point of the third period. Then Rick MacLeish, reaching the 20-goal plateau, and Gary Dornhoefer put it away with goals 86 seconds apart. The Hawks, losing for the fifth time in a row and the seventh time in a winless streak now at eight games, had only 11 shots on goal in the last two periods for a game total of 20.

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PATRICK DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
NY Islanders	30	19	7	4	110	73	42
Philadelphia	31	17	7	7	114	86	41
Atlanta	31	15	9	7	104	88	37
NY Rangers	33	13	13	7	125	117	33

SMYTHE DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
St. Louis	32	12	16	4	91	118	28
Chicago	31	10	18	3	95	116	23
Colorado	30	8	17	5	85	108	21
Minnesota	31	6	18	7	81	134	19
Vancouver	33	8	22	3	89	133	19

ADAMS DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Boston	31	20	9	2	119	95	42
Buffalo	29	18	8	3	104	70	39
Toronto	31	14	11	6	118	104	35
Cleveland	32	9	16	7	91	107	25

NORRIS DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Montreal	33	24	5	4	160	72	52
Los Angeles	33	11	12	10	108	103	32
Pittsburgh	31	13	13	5	96	104	31
Detroit	30	10	16	4	85	105	24
Washington	30	8	18	4	83	125	20

Next games: Tonight — New York Islanders at Atlanta; Toronto at Washington.

VANCOUVER 3, DETROIT 7.

First Period

1. Detroit, Maloney (12) (Hextall, Lochead) 2:35.
2. Vancouver, Oddleifson (8) (Graves) 6:31.
3. Detroit, Bloom (4) (Hamel, Bergeron) 14:31.
4. Detroit, Polonich (8) (McKechnie) 18:45.

Penalties—Polonich (D), Lever (V) 9:22.

Second Period

5. Vancouver, Lever (11) (Walton, Blight) 9:32.
6. Vancouver, O'Flaherty (4) (Sedlbauer, Kearns) 13:12.
7. Detroit, Bergeron (12) (Sheehan) 13:25.
8. Detroit, McKechnie (11) (Nahrgang) 17:30.

Penalties—Carriere (V), Polonich (D) (minors, majors) 10:33; Fortier (V) 17:25; Spruce (V) (major), Polonich (D) (minors, majors) 10:33; Fortier (V) 17:25; Spruce (V) (major), Polonich (D) (minor, major) 19:10.

Third Period

9. Detroit, Harvey (8) (McKechnie) 5:47.
10. Detroit, McKechnie (12) 6:42.

Penalties—Lochead (D) 8:14; Hamel (D) 18:45.

Shots on goal:

Vancouver	10	12	6	—28
Detroit	14	11	9	—34

Goal—Ridley, Bullock, Vancouver; Rutherford, Detroit. Attendance—8114.

CLEVELAND 4, PITTSBURGH 5

First Period

1. Pittsburgh, Pronovost (16) (Owchar) 16:26.

Penalties — Kelly (P) 9:53; Merrick (C) 11:44.

Second Period

2. Cleveland, Spring (2) (Fidler, Meeke) 0:35.
3. Pittsburgh, Pronovost (17) (Apps) 2:05.
4. Cleveland, Murdoch (11) (Maruk, Christie) 4:23.
5. Pittsburgh, Corrigan (7) (Apps, Pronovost) 8:24.
6. Cleveland, MacAdam (8) (penalty shot) 9:23.
7. Pittsburgh, Kelly (3) (Apps, Pronovost) 15:56.

Penalties — Kelly (P) 1:13; Stackhouse (P) 5:59.

Third Period

8. Cleveland, MacAdam (9) (Maruk, Christie) 10:20.
9. Pittsburgh, Larouche (8) (Stackhouse, Awrey) 10:59.

Penalty — Meeke (C) 7:29.

Shots on goal:

Cleveland	6	11	12	—29
Pittsburgh	11	17	5	—33

Goal — Meloche, Cleveland; Herron, Pittsburgh. Attendance —7127.

N.Y. RANGERS 2, BUFFALO 7

First Period

1. Buffalo, Gare (3) (Perreault, T. Martin) 4:04.
2. Buffalo, Perreault (18) (Stanfield, Roggeri) 9:39.
3. Buffalo, Luce (9) (Fogolin, Ramsay) 12:15.

Penalties — R. Martin (B) 6:38; Murdoch (NYR) 8:18.

Second Period

4. NY Rangers, Hickey (7) (Maloney, Fotiu) 1:32.
5. Buffalo, R. Martin (17) (Lorentz, Korab) 4:07.
6. Buffalo, R. Martin (18) (Lorentz, Savard) 9:53.
7. Buffalo, Perreault (19) (Schoenfeld, Korab) 11:11.
8. Buffalo, R. Martin (19) (Lorentz, Savard) 14:09.
9. NY Rangers, Hickey (8) (Fotiu, Farrish) 15:23.

Penalties — Greschner (NYR) 3:26; Robert (B) 6:38.

Third Period

No scoring.

Penalties — Vadnais (NYR) 2:18; Farrish (NYR) 4:19; Robert (B) 15:06, Greschner (NYR) 17:59.

Shots on goal:

NY Rangers	3	6	5	—14
Buffalo	15	13	12	—40

Goal—Gratton, Soetaert, NY Rangers; Desjardins, Buffalo. Attendance—16,433.

CHICAGO 1, PHILADELPHIA 4

First Period

1. Philadelphia, Goodenough (2) 17:06.

Penalties — Br'dgman (P) 11:23; Russell (C) 15:05; Magnuson (C), Leach (P) 16:43; Saleski (P) 17:44.

Second Period

No scoring.

Penalties — Bridgman (P) 7:01; Bordeleau (C) 10:36; Logan (C) (double minor) Leach (P) 15:48; Magnuson (C) Clarke (P) 18:42.

Third Period

2. Philadelphia, MacLeish (20) (Holmgren, Kelly) 8:48.
3. Philadelphia, Dornhoefer (14) (Bridgeman, Jim Watson) 10:13.
4. Chicago, Rota (12) 13:21.
5. Philadelphia, Clarke (12) (Leach, Barber) 15:23.

Penalties — Magnuson (C) Logan (C), Kelly (P), Holmgren (P) (majors), Kindrachuk (P) (misconduct) 1:21; Marks (C) (major, minor), Boldirev (C), MacIlhargey (P), Lonsberry (P) (majors). 5:28.

Shots on goal:

Chicago	9	7	4	—20
Philadelphia	16	14	16	—46

Goal — Esposito, Chicago; Parent, Philadelphia. Attendance — 17,077.

ST. LOUIS 2, BOSTON 5

First Period

1. Boston, Bucyk (11) (Smith) 10:07.
2. St. Louis, Patey (10) (Gassoff, Seiling) 17:22.

Penalties — Smith (B) 4:28; Gassoff (StL), Doak (B) 10:16, Smith (B) 14:32.

Second Period

3. Boston, Sheppard (12) (Park, Cashman) 12:21.
4. Boston, O'Reilly (2) (Ratelle, Park) 15:29.
5. St. Louis, Patey (11) (Seiling) 19:58.

Penalties — Plager (StL) 1:02; Affleck (StL) 8:43; Lefley (StL) 11:52.

Third Period

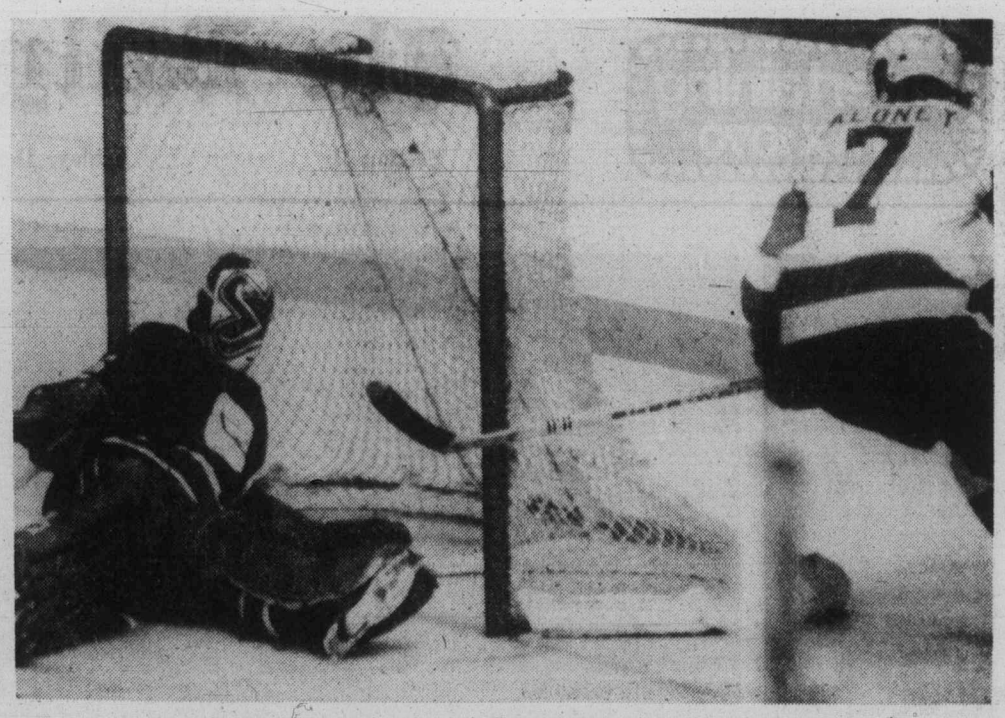
6. Boston, O'Reilly (3) (Nowak, McNab) 0:26.
7. Boston, Middleton (10) (Ratelle, Park) 10:42.

Penalties — None.

Shots on goal:

St. Louis	12	6	6	—24
Boston	11	18	11	—40

Goal — Johnston, St. Louis; Cheevers, Boston. Attendance — 10,088.



Dan Maloney slips puck past Curt Ridley for first Detroit goal

Russians, Czechs win in Izvestia openers

MOSCOW (CP) — The Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia took an early lead in the annual Izvestia international hockey tournament Thursday, the Soviets getting three goals from Valery Kharlamov in a 4-2 win over Sweden and the Czechs edging Winnipeg Jets 3-2.

Kharlamov, who also assisted on a second-period goal by Boris Mikhailov, is making a fast return to international hockey after suffering two broken ankles in an auto accident earlier this year.

Kharlamov, Mikhailov and their linemate, Vladimir Petrov, sat out the third period of the game.

Vladimir Veith's goal midway in the third period through a maze of players broke a 2-2 tie and saddled the World Hockey Association Jets with their loss in the opening game of the tournament.

Veith's goal, against Winnipeg goaltender Joe Daley, came only 37 seconds after defenceman Dave Dunn had climaxed a Winnipeg comeback from a 2-0 first period deficit.

Vladimir Martinec and Vincent Lukac had provided the world amateur champion Czechs with an early cushion, but the Jets responded and Anders Hedberg made it 2-1 just 23 seconds into the middle period.

The Soviets, with a number of veterans returning to the lineup after several months absence, opened up a 4-0 lead before the Mikhailov line departed.

The weakened Soviet offence in the third period allowed the less experienced Swedish club to get back into the game, Kent Nilsson and Mats Ahlberg scoring to make the outcome respectable.

Monarchs extend run for winless Pats

WINNIPEG (CP) — Regina Pats showed some signs of recovering from an unprecedented winless streak Thursday night but still came away on the short end of a 6-4 decision in a Western Canada Hockey League game against Winnipeg Monarchs.

The Monarchs jumped into a 2-0 first period lead but the Pats got goals from Ron Parent and Gerald Minor in the second period to move into a brief 2-2 tie before Monarchs regained the lead.

Regina battled back to tie the score twice more in the third period but the Monarchs fired two goals in the last three minutes to earn the victory and extend a Regina winless run to 28 games.

Dave Stekler, Greg McPhee, Eugene O'Sullivan, Daryl Einarson, Tom Roulston and Dave Morrison scored the Winnipeg goals.

Other Regina goals wree scored by Hugh Ellis, on a penalty shot in the third period, and Glen Ing.

Pat Ansel was bombarded by 48 shots in the Regina goal compared with only 26 directed at Tim Steele of Winnipeg.

EASTERN DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Brandon	36	27	6	3	207	117	57
Saskatoon	32	16	14	2	151	140	34
Flin Flon	33	6	18	9	141	183	21
Regina	36	2	29	5	85	242	9

WESTERN DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
New West.	32	18	8	6	94	154	42
Kamloops	35	15	13	7	156	147	37
Victoria	32	16	13	3	144	120	35
Portland	30	14	15	2	150	135	30

CENTRAL DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Lethbridge	31	15	10	6	161	134	36
Med. Hat	34	15	13	6	151	148	36
Winnipeg	32	15	16	1	157	163	31
Calgary	35	12	17	6	157	181	30

Next games: Tonight — Victoria at Calgary, Lethbridge at Kamloops.

Phoenix makes trade for ex-Roadrunners

Phoenix Roadrunners completed a five-player World Hockey Association trade Thursday, regaining high-scoring forwards Andre Hinse and Frank Hughes from Houston Aeros.

In exchange for the two players, the Roadrunners sent defenceman Al McLeod, right winger John Gray and minor league forward Neil Lyseng to Houston.

Hinse and Hughes, former members of the Roadrunners' Go-Go line, played with the Phoenix club when the team was part of the old Western Hockey League, jumping to Houston when that team entered the WHA.

Coach Al Rollins said the Roadrunners had been seeking more scoring punch and the addition of Hinse and Hughes will bring together two-thirds of one of the most productive lines in WHA history.

In league play Thursday, Mike Antonovich scored three goals to lead Minnesota Fighting Saints to a 5-4 win over the Racers in Indianapolis and goalkeeper Ernie Wakely made 11 stops in helping San Diego Mariners to a 3-0 win over the visiting Edmonton Oilers.

The shutout was the 14th of Wakely's WHA career, tying him for the league lead with Gerry Cheevers, now with Boston Bruins of the NHL.

MINNESOTA (5) — Mike Antonovich (19th, 20th, 21st), John McKenzie (10th), Dave Keon (13th). INDIANAPOLIS (3) — Darryl Maggs (4th), Michel Parizeau (12th), Francois Rochon (3rd). Attendance 6504.

EDMONTON (0 SAN DIEGO (3) — Joe Noris (13th and 14th), Don Burgess (6th). Attendance 6503.

EAST DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Quebec	32	19	12	1	142	117	39
Cincinnati	29	17	10	2	137	98	36
Indianapolis	30	16	12	2	100	112	34
Minnesota	31	13	14	4	96	100	30
N. England	31	12	15	4	101	111	28
Birmingham	33	9	23	1	109	135	19

WEST DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
San Diego	33	18	13	2	111	103	38
Winnipeg	31	18	12	1	145	105	37
Houston	28	14	10	4	95	83	32
Phoenix	32	13	17	2	108	143	28
Edmonton	32	13	19	1	88	121	27
Calgary	29	11	16	2	87	91	24

Tonight's games: Edmonton at Phoenix, Indianapolis at New England, Birmingham at Houston.

Sport today

BASKETBALL

7 and 8:30 p.m. — High school boys' exhibitions: Sandy, Ore. vs. Semiahmoo of White Rock; Oak Bay Boys vs. North Delta Huskies, Oak Bay High School.

7 and 8:30 p.m. — High school boys' exhibitions: Parkland vs. Port Moody; Salmon Arm vs. Spectrum, Spectrum Community School.

8:30 p.m. — High school boys' exhibition: Campbell River Tyees vs. Victoria High Totems, Victoria High School.

HOCKEY

8 p.m. — South Island Junior "B" League: Oak Bay Trios vs. Esquimalt Legion, Esquimalt Sports Centre; Kerry Park Islanders vs. Lake Cowichan Bairds Trucking, Lake Cowichan Arena.

Merchants hold leaders to tie

Juan de Fuca Merchants may be last in the South Island Big Six Hockey League, but they were as good as the best Thursday night at Pearkes Arena, playing to a 5-5 tie with the leading Victoria Athletics.

Athletics, who now lead Western Homes by four points, took a 4-2 lead into the last period but were caught twice. Dave McLachlan and Brian Carbery made it 4-4, and after Gord Neilson had scored for Athletics, Dan Roy completed the scoring with his pointgetting goal.

Dennis Head scored the other two goals for the Merchants, while Dale Ewasiuk (2), Mark Purdy and Ross Swanton got the other goals for the league-leaders.

Selects triumph

BRANTFORD, Ont. (CP) — Moscow Selects opened up in the second and third periods to score a 7-2 win over Brantford Alexanders of the Ontario Hockey Association Senior A League before a crowd of 3342 Thursday night.

It was the fourth win against one loss for the touring Soviet team. They have three games remaining.

Moscow's top line of Viacheslav Anisin, Yuri Lebedev and Sergei Potgortsev, which was kept on the bench in the first period, dominated the final 40 minutes. Anisin scored two goals in the second period and Lebedev one in the third.

Moscow's other goals were scored by Valeri Bragin, with two, and Vladimir Semenov and Vladimir Deviatov with one each.

Two former National Hockey League players, Jack Egers and Eddie Shack, scored for Brantford. Shack was on loan from Whitby Warriors.

Ellison lifts Flyers to win

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Saanich	22	19	3	0	217	61	38
Fuller Lake	22	16	2	4	156	63	36
Esquimalt	21	14	5	2	168	69	30
Juan de Fuca	22	11	9	2	118	99	24
Oak Bay	22	8	12	2	100	123	18
Victoria	22	6	12	4	86	132	16
L. Cowichan	21	3	14	4	79	177	10
Mill Bay	22	1	21	0	41	239	2

Next games: Tonight — Oak Bay at Esquimalt; Lake Cowichan at Mill Bay, 8 o'clock.

Terry Ellison scored the last two goals of the game Thursday to lead Fuller Lake Flyers to a 5-3 win over Oak Bay Trios in an action-packed South Island Junior "B" Hockey League game at Oak Bay Arena.

Flyers, who moved to within two points of front-running Saanich Braves, held period leads of 1-0 and 3-2 but the Trios managed to tie the score before Ellison took over.

The final goal was scored into an empty net with only nine seconds to play.

Ken Bell also scored twice for the Flyers and Gene Wrigglesworth added the other goal.

Dave Murrell, Mike Paget and Clay Bertoia scored for the Trios.

Ken Stanton made 29 saves for the winners, four fewer than Paul Vaeson of Oak Bay.

Grads win hoop game

Mt. Douglas Grads pulled away in the second half Thursday night at Mt. Douglas high school to defeat the current boys basketball team, 81-56.

The Grads, who got 25 points from Tom Watson, were 33-28 leaders at half-time.

Jim Dudderidge contributed 14 points for the winners and John McManaman had 12 points. Al Dudderidge topped the Rams with 23 points, and Ken Brawn was next with nine.

Finley lawyer contends Kuhn 'punished' client

CHICAGO (AP) — Charles O. Finley's $3.5 million lawsuit against baseball commissioner Bowie Kuhn opened in federal court Thursday, with Finley's lawyer charging that Kuhn took actions "to punish an old enemy."

Neil Papiano of Los Angeles, the lawyer for the Oakland A's owner, referred to Kuhn's decision to void Finley's sale June 15 of three top players to Boston Red Sox and New York Yankees for $3.5 million.

Kuhn claimed the deals were not in the best interests of baseball. Finley said he needed the money and filed the suit to get it.

Kuhn's lawyer, Peter K. Bleakley of Washington, countered in his opening statement that "the evidence in the plaintiff's own case will belie the charge" of malice on Kuhn's part.

The 58-year-old Finley watched the statements from a table where four members of his trial team sat. Kuhn was not present, but lawyers for him, both major leagues, the Yankees and the Red Sox, were.

In their opening statements, Papiano and Bleakley appeared to be basing their arguments on precedents.

Bleakley said evidence would show that Kuhn's action was just like voiding of trades by previous baseball commissioners. Bleakley said the 1930 proposed trade of Fred Bennett of the American League's St. Louis Browns team to a minor league club in Milwaukee was voided by commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis. Milwaukee challenged Landis' decision in federal court, which upheld the commissioner, said Bleakley.

Hockey scores

CENTRAL
Fort Worth 7, Oklahoma City 4.
ONTARIO MAJOR JUNIOR
Windsor 9, Sault Ste. Marie 7.
Peterborough 8, Niagara Falls 3.
Sudbury 7, Oshawa 4.
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NBA in turmoil despite off-court settlements

NEW YORK (AP) — This was supposed to be a year of stability for the National Basketball Association, but two months into the season things are more hectic than ever.

The stunning deal involving Bob McAdoo, the league's top scorer each of the last three seasons, is only the most recent of a series of weekly developments in a sport which was supposed to be maintaining a low profile for a while.

Last year was the big one for off-court developments. The merger was consummated, ending nine years of often-heated conflict between the NBA and the upstart American Basketball Association. What's more, a progressive, long-term agreement was reached with the players' association, erasing the prospect of lengthy litigation.

"I'm looking forward to getting out of my office and watching some basketball this winter," commissioner Larry O'Brien said before the start of the season, echoing the sentiment of fans around the league.

All was peace and harmony as the 22 NBA teams headed for their pre-season training camps in late August. It didn't last long.

A rapid-fire series of surprises has set the sport on its ear. In just two months, consider the following developments:

● Julius Erving, catalyst to the merger, heart and soul of the New York Nets franchise and perhaps the most magnetic player in the game, refused to report to the Nets in a contract dispute and was finally sold to Philadelphia '76ers for about $3 million.

Philadelphia drew record crowds wherever it went, but Nets' fans reacted angrily and now season ticketholders are being refunded a percentage of the ticket cost because of the loss of Erving. Nets coach Kevin Loughery observed that while $3 million is nice, it can't play forward.

● Moses Malone, who should be a junior in college, was traded by Portland Trailblazers to Buffalo Braves, then one week later was shuffled off to Houston Rockets — his fifth team, at the tender age of 22.

● John Havlicek, the essense of "Celtic Pride," staged a brief pre-season holdout with Boston before signing. Paul Silas, the rugged rebounder and defensive bulwark, staged an extended holdout and was dealt to Denver.

Red Auerbach reunited UCLA stars Sidney Wicks and Curtis Rowe in Boston, purchasing Wicks from Portland and obtaining Rowe from Detroit Pistons in the three-way deal involving Silas.

● Just as things began to look up in Boston, Dave Cowens, the Celtics' fiery centre, walked into the club office one day and said his passion for the game has been sapped and requested an indefinite leave of absence. He may be back in uniform later this season, he may be back next season, he may never be back.

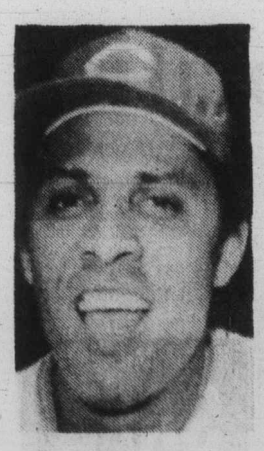
● Pete Maravich, the peerless Pistol of New Orleans Jazz, said Cowens did what he was thinking of doing two weeks earlier — packing it all in. Soon thereafter, however, Maravich said he was happy once again and no longer thinking about quitting.

● An NBA single-game attendance record was set Oct. 26 in New Orleans when 27,383 turned out to see Erving and the 76ers play the Jazz in the Superdome. At the other end of the spectrum, only 73 fans braved blizzard conditions to buy tickets at the gate for a game in Buffalo, which drew a total crowd of 994.

● Larry Costello, the only coach Milwaukee Bucks have ever had, was forced to resign one month into the season and was replaced by Don Nelson, whose total coaching experience consisted of 18 games as Costello's assistant. Wayne Embry also resigned but agreed to stay on until the end of the season as a lame duck general manager.

And, finally, there is McAdoo, the NBA scoring champion the last three years and the essense of the Buffalo club, who was dealt to New York Knicks for $3 million and reserve John Gianelli.

Veteran slugger key to Expo-Red deal



Perez
. . . RBI leader

CINCINNATI (AP) — Cincinnati Reds traded veteran slugger Tony Perez, their all-time runs-batted-in leader, and left-handed pitcher Will McEnaney to Montreal Expos in exchange for pitchers Woodie Fryman and Dale Murray on Thursday.

Perez, 34, drove in 1115 runs during his 12 years with the Reds and is the only active player to have reached 90 or more runs batted in for the last 10 seasons.

Perez, described by New York Mets pitcher Tom Seaver as "the best mistake hitter in baseball," his .260 with 19 home runs and 91 RBI. He owns a career batting average of .283 and ranks eighth among all active players with 277 home runs.

On the trading block for some time because of his age and the emergence of young Cincinnati talent, particularly Dan Driessen, Perez approved the trade — which was necessary because he is a 10-year veteran with at least five years with his present team.

The Reds were unable to trade the popular Perez at last week's winter meetings.

The acquisition of Fryman, 36, satisfied the Reds' need for an experienced left-hander to replace Don Gullett, the free agent who signed a $2 million, six-year contract with New York Yankees.

The trade means that Montreal will have half of last season's National League all-star infield for its coming season. Dave Cash, formerly of Philadelphia, will be at second base and Perez at first base.

In announcing the deal, Fox said: "I was really enthused over the fact that he's a world champion and he's lost five pounds since the World Series ended. He's keeping himself in shape."

"We've got Tony signed to a multi-year agreement," Fox added.

"I'm happy, I feel great, I know the fans in Montreal," said the 34-year-old Perez, who spoke to Montreal reporters on a telephone hookup.

In his last nine years as a National Leaguer, Perez has averaged 104 RBI's a season. In 1976, Perez had a .260 average with 19 home runs and 91 RBI's. He has 277 career home runs, ninth best total on the list of active players.

McEnaney is another veteran with a successful record. The left-hander pitched the last innings in the final games of Cincinnati's 1975 and 1976 World Series victories.

In giving up Fryman and Murray, the Expos are losing their most successful starting and relief pitchers from last season. Fryman was a winner 13 times in 26 decisions last season, posting a 3.38 earned-run average, while Murray recorded .13 saves as he pitched in 30 of Montreal's 55 wins. He had a 4-9 with a 3.27 ERA.

Fox said: "Perez could give us the hitting power we were after when we were trying to sign Reggie Jackson."

In the recent free-agent draft and subsequent signing sweepstakes, Montreal made a strong effort to sign Jackson, who eventually signed a five-year deal with New York Yankees.

The Expos picked up former Phillies second baseman Cash in the free-agent draft. He is reported to have signed a five-year, $1-million contract.

outdoors
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Brian Gibson, 3713 Harriet Road, caught a 24½-pound winter chinook this week to take over the lead for the first week of the Peddar Bay winter chinook salmon derby.

He was fishing off Church Island with 50 feet on a deep line and hootchie.

Brian Waddell, Pedder Bay Trailer Park, is in second place with a 19½-pounder taken on anchovie between Christopher Point and Church Island.

There are 140 anglers entered in the derby and there were 40 weigh-ins recorded the first week.

Jim Gilbert will be on hand at Pedder Bay Marina Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., to demonstrate fishing techniques.

Secretary Island to Oak Bay waters have been fairly hot for winter chinooks, but anglers have had to hit short bite periods in the mornings and afternoons. Biggest fish have been hitting on the afternoon bites which have been between 2:30 and 3 p.m.

The fish have ranged between 25 and four pounds and averaging at between eight to 12 pounds.

Constance Banks has been one of the hottest and most heavily-fished spots and most success has been on the west side of the bank, where anglers use 190 feet of line, 1½ pounds of weight and herring strip.

Garry Small has been hitting the seven-pounders between Constance Banks and Brotchie Ledge on 200 feet of line, 1½-pounds of weight. Green and white radiant Squirts and short (about 16-inch) leaders on a Hot Spot Flasher. For strip he has been using a 32-inch leader. His fish have mostly been white chinooks.

Ben Konanz caught six chinooks just off Brotchie Ledge on Wednesday.

Saanich Inlet is reporting some fairly good fishing, mostly for three to 3½-pound coho grilse that are moving into the Inlet, with some seven to 16-pound chinooks also being taken. Strip and minnow have been best lures and federal fisheries reports an average of 2.1 fish to a boat, just behind Sooke with 2.5 and Victoria waterfront with 2.3 fish to a boat.

Chinook Club will hold a Frostbite Derby in Saanich Inlet Sunday, dawn to 2 p.m.

Up-Island, the bigger eight to 13-pound chinooks have started to move into northwest Bay, along with some bigger herring. But the bite has been on again, off again.

At Campbell River the weather has been stormy, but when anglers can get out they are catching chinooks along the front, from Duncan and Menzies Bay, through the forestry area opposite Campbell River village, to Willow Point. Bucktail flies, with little weight, or Deep Six and Super Strip Teaser have been taking them.

Steelheading has started and almost any river is worth searching. The same problem exists. You must hit the right river conditions to catch the fish, usually after a spell of rainy weather, and just as the river return to fishable levels.

The Campbell has been taking a real pounding with loggers off work, and it has been giving up a few. Nimpkish and Gold have been producing, but it has been wet on the west coast and you could find them in flood. San Juan, Harris Creek, Cowichan are all worth trying.

Shawnigan, Somenos and Quamichan Lake have been good for trout.

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Fish and wildlife officials report a red-collared (65p) dusky Canada goose sighted on the Saanich Peninsula with about 70 other duskies and 20 local Canadas.

They aren't certain if it is wintering here, but it is a bird-of-the-year from Copper River Delta in Alaska. Some of these birds were spotted earlier in the season at Tofino.

Fish and Game Club's Christmas turkey shoot last weekend set a new participation record with 213 trap squads on Sunday and 156 on Saturday.

Next Fish and Game Club trap-only shoot will be on Boxing Day, Sunday.

This Saturday and Sunday there will be a trap-only Turkey Shoot at South Vancouver Island Rangers' layout at Luxton, with everybody welcome.

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After waiting two years for his certificate David Hill, 1899 Hovey Road, Saanichton, has finally received his field trial championship certificate for his German shorthair Pointer Miranmar's Jill, now seven years old. She actually complete her 10 championship points in Nov. 1974 at trials in Vancouver, to place her in that rather small elite group of field trial champions from Vancouver Island.

Hill is now working with a new German shorthair, two-year-old Jauckon's Anton, although Jill is still active.

Russians set terms

Networks seek delay in Games bargaining

MOSCOW (AP) — Bidding for United States television rights to the 1980 Olympics in Moscow will start at $50 million, network sources said Thursday. However, indications in New York were that the three major networks may try to pool their resources.

Network officials from NBC, CBS and ABC were in Moscow Thursday to begin negotiations to see which one of the three networks will be beaming highlights of some 20 sports back to the U.S. They also were told that a fourth party, Satra Corp., a trading company based in New Yrok and London, would join the bidding.

Meanwhile, in a joint statement issued by NBC in New York, the networks said they would seek a delay in negotiations which were to have begun today.

"ABC, CBS and NBC are asking for a suspension of the negotiations in Moscow for the 1980 Olympic rights," the statement said. "This suspension will enable the networks to review with the Department of Justice the desirability of the networks assuming jointly the cost and risks of making available to the American public, broadcasts of the 1980 Olympic Games."

Although there is no way of knowing how much the companies will ultimately offer for the TV rights, estimates run as high as $100 million, four times as much as Montreal received last summer from ABC.

In interviews after preliminary talks with the Soviets, all three top network representatives were cautiously critical of the situation they were facing.

"Frankly, it's ridiculous," Robert T. Howard, president of the National Broadcasting Co. (NBC), said when asked to comment on the Soviet proposal. But Howard said he did not believe the $50-million "ante" — as one official called it — was unreasonable.

"It's the way they want the money," he said, declining to elaborate.

One network source said the Russians want 15 per cent on signing, 30 per cent in 1978, another 30 per cent in 1979 and the remaining 25 per cent after the Games are over.

According to the Solunar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing for the next 48 hours will be as follows (Times shown are **Pacific Daylight** times):

	A.M.		P.M.	
	Minor	Major	Minor	Major
TODAY				
	12:45	7:25	1:15	7:50
TOMORROW				
	1:35	8:20	2:05	8:45

Major periods, lasting 1½ to 2 hours, dark type.
Minor periods, shorter duration, light type.

Hayes aide to Cincinnati

CINCINNATI (CP) — Ralph Staub, chief executive officer and top aide for Woody Hayes, has resigned after seven years at Ohio State to accept a four-year contract as head football coach at the University of Cincinnati.

Staub, 48, was wooed away from the Big 10 football power five days after Tony Mason resigned at Cincinnati to become head coach at the University of Arizona.

Hagge, Morgan lead Mixed Team event

MIAMI (AP) — Marlene Hagge and Dr. Gil Morgan, working primarily off Marlene's drives, combined for a six-under-par 66 and a one-stroke lead after Thursday's first round of the $200,000 Mixed Team golf championship.

The format, combining men and women touring pros in one event for the first time in a decade, calls for both players to drive on each hole — the men from the championship tees, the women from the ladies' tees.

The differences in the tee markers ranged up to 70 yards on the wind-swept Blue Monster course at the Doral Country Club.

The team then selects the drive it wants to play and the man and woman thereafter play alternate shots on the same ball.

"Generally, the men are much better iron players than we are," said Hagge, in her 27th year on the Ladies' PGA tour. "So the strategy was to play my drive as much as possible."

It worked to near perfection.

The Hagge-Morgan combo, playing early in the day before the gusty winds reached their peak, didn't come close to making a bogey, didn't miss a green and scored their longest birdie from only 15 feet.

One shot back at 67 were Pat Bradley and Masters champion Ray Floyd.

At 68, four under par and only two back of the leading team, were Penny Pulz and Australian David Graham, Jo Ann Washam and Chi Chi Rodriguez, Sylvia Bertolaccini of Argentina and Jim Colbert and Mary Lou Crocker and Fuzzy Zoeller.

The favored team of Judy Rankin and Ben Crenshaw were another two shots back at 70. The Palmers, Sandra and Arnold, could do no better than a 73. The Hall of Fame entry of Patty Berg and Gene Sarazen trailed the field of 46 teams at 80.

Wiggin rehired

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Kansas City Chiefs announced Thursday that head coach Paul Wiggin had been given a three-year extension on his contract. No salary figure was given.

Wiggin, 42, was hired in January, 1975, as the second head coach in the history of the Chiefs after Hank Stram was dismissed.

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'Megamountain' dazzles world ski authorities

Whistler fame spreads slowly

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WHISTLER — This vast mountain with a village at its forested base earns my vote as Canada's best-kept travel secret.

Rising 7100 feet above sea level in the northwest corner of Garibaldi Provincial Park, the massif is crowned by a series of awesome glaciers upon most of which man has yet to set foot. It looms high over several sparkling lakes and is minutes from the scenic fjord-like Howe Sound.

Cosmopolitan Vancouver is but 75 miles away. But it may as well be 100 times farther, for Whistler is another world.

From spring through fall it is an uncrowded heaven for hikers, fishermen, hunters, golfers and sailors. By and large, however, this is a skier's dream come true; thanks to the glaciers and the helicopters that whisk you to them, you can even ski when others are celebrating the 4th of July with a cookout at the beach!

"Megamountain," locals call it. And no one who has been here disagrees.

Skiers who have "done" Vail, Arosa, Stowe, the Laurentians, Bariloche and other famous ski meccas around the world shake their heads in amazement after sampling Whistler's almost 10 miles of unrepeated downhill runs, five miles of lifts and no less than 14,000 vertical feet of glacier skiing.

Canadians, particularly those from the western provinces, know this home of outstanding powder, carefully maintained trails and bowls a mile wide and five times as long. And they patronize it often during the November-to-May season when the white stuff is as good at the base of the mountain as it is on the glaciers in the summer.

Whistler's reputation is spreading, slowly, but spreading nevertheless mostly by word of mouth, references in ski magazines, and the efforts of such interested parties as CP Air and Air Canada, this country's two major air carriers.

Thus, no wonder the smiling fellow I literally ran into my first morning down the easy Mid Whistler run turned out to be an accountant from Tokyo.

"Fantastic!" was his word for Whistler.

On the other hand, Americans are conspicuous by their absence. A happenstance, by the by, not necessarily regretted by the rather possessive band of mostly young and decidedly serious Canadian skiers who would rather keep this superb chunk of British Columbia for themselves.

The word "serious" in the paragraph above is important. You don't come here for the apres-ski frivolity, of which there's precious little. You bus, train or drive your way over to Whistler to ski, whatever your proficiency level.

Even if you have never been on a pair of boards before, learning to ski is, or should be, the reason for your visit here. And you won't be disappointed:

Jim McConkey, a legendary pro who traded Utah for Whistler ("The powder's even better here!"), lords over a stable of professional certified instructors at his Garibaldi Ski School.

The variety of uncrowded runs is impressive. And there are plenty of them for both experts and bunnies. Only weekends, when many Vancouverites arrive, do you see lines; and that's usually at the gondola lift at the bottom of the mountain. Once that first 6,600-foot journey is out of the way, you pretty much can spend the balance of the day skiing to your heart's content — or your legs' ability to sustain you — without spending time in line at any of the six chair lifts or the two parallel T-bars between Ridge Run and Glacier.

Nature packs considerable drama on Whistler.

As a rule you cannot see the mountaintop from the village, and a cloud mist usually hugs the lower slopes. You squint and peer into a valley of crisp vapors as you ride the gondola up from the base. Visibility improves a bit as the chair lift takes you to the mountain's upper level. It is then, as you get off the lift, that the majesty of Whistler comes alive before your eyes: wide bowls in all directions above the timberline and guarded by towering sun-tipped glaciers.

At this point on the mountain is the Roundhouse, a simple but comfortable place where there are good food and drinks. Whistler's great runs — Paleface, Pony Trail, Jolly Green Giant, Dad's Run and the others — take off from here, as do the chopper trips to the glaciers.

Accurately billed as the ultimate thrill of this particular sport, helicopter glacier skiing is available here for intermediate and advanced skiers on a daily basis, weather permitting. Each seven-passenger chopper goes up with a certified, radio-equipped guide; electronic transmitters are issued each skier, and the metal birds don't fly unless the weather is from good to excellent. It is safe. And it is breathtaking.

Bay Meadows racing

SAN MATEO, Calif. — Results of Thursday's thoroughbred racing at Bay Meadows with entries for today:

FIRST RACE—
Main Rain (R. Garcia Jr.) $152.00 $52.20 $11.60
Pleasant John (Volzke) 5.00 3.40
Tell Me First (J. L. Diaz) 9.60
Time 1:47 4-5.
Scratched — Circus Boy, Star Show, Uncle Eddie, Daylight Don.

SECOND RACE—
Royal Corn (Aragon) $9.80 $5.60 $4.20
Apollonius (Arterburn) 10.00 7.00
Jakes Rivet (M. Lewis) 3.40
Time 1:47 2-5.
Daily Double paid $564.00.
Scratched — Gateado, Polamount, Count Ribot, Price Fighter.

THIRD RACE—
Crop O Gold (Munoz) $4.20 $3.40 $2.80
Tamlyn (Rond) 4.00 3.20
Course Gold (Burkes) 3.80
Time 1:12 1-5.
Scratched — Sonny Steel, Short Lesson, Haughty Doll, Via Tony.

FOURTH RACE—
Grand Opening (Dinicola) $17.40 $6.20 $3.80
Princess Scott (Volzke) 3.80 2.80
Real Sangre (Yaka) 2.80
Time 1:13 3-5. No scratches.

FIFTH RACE:
Hit The Jackpot (Munoz) $60.40 $24.60 $14.20
Eluetta (Schacht) 10.40 8.60
Maggies Clue (Ramirez) 8.00
Time 1:11 2-5.
$5 exacta paid $1,231.00.
No scratches.

SIXTH RACE:
Midnight Rehearsal (Mena) $8.80 $2.80 $3.20
Dr. Henry K. (Volzke) 2.80 2.80
El Cuadrillero (Whnick) 3.60
Time 1:11 3-5.
Scratched — Bay Thunder.

SEVENTH RACE:
Squint (Olivares) $3.00 $2.60 $2.20
Tonga Rhythm (Dinicola) 5.20 3.60
Lady Lunar (Volzke) 3.00
Time 1:10 4-5.
$5 exacta paid $47.00.
Scratched — Bo Bid, Soviara.

EIGHTH RACE:
Always A Pleasure (Mahorney) $15.20 $6.00 $2.80
Sweet Shooter (Diaz) 3.60 2.40
Crodan (Dinicola) 2.20
Time 1:10 2-5.
Scratched — Black Edward.

NINTH RACE:
Friendly Patricia (Gomez) $7.60 $4.40 $3.00
Spring Loch (Yaka) 6.00 5.20
My Sister Erin (Ramirez) 3.80
Time 1:47 1-5.
$5 exacta paid $117.00.
Attendance 7529. Mutuel handle $1,230,872.
Scratched — Fleet Awakening.

Entries

FIRST RACE — $4,500, claiming, three and four-year-old maidens, six furlongs:
x-Daylight Don (115) Felton
Le Premiere (116) Archuleta
x-Glendas Boy (113) Felazco
Paperweight (118) Munoz
Best Of Blue (118) Yaka
Crisco Muchaco (116) Diaz
Cest Fantastico (116) Ramirez
Smog Cutter (118) Spencer
Dusty Fox (118) Gomez
x-Lucky American (113) Dailey
Tudor Allibhai (112) Mena
Payran (118) Rond
Never Conquered (116) Rond
x-Godess Proof (113) Aragon
x-Jr. Grey Ghost (111) Felton
Cactus Rocket (118) Heath

SECOND RACE — $4,500, claiming, three-year-old fillies, six furlongs:
Miss Daunt Pocket (109) Felton
Fabrizia (114) Diaz
Dusky Shah (114) Gomez
Ava Royal B. (114) Spencer
Magic Myth (114) Ochoa
Temolly (114) Arterburn
Like Boomba (114) Dinicola
Mini Rude (114) Rond
x-Crafty Thinker (109) Aragon
Olympiad Leaf (109) Ochoa
Oriental Princess (114) Olivares
Belles Eagle (114) Muñoz
Shes A Knight (114) Cruz
x-Warrens Star (109) Felton
Golden Rich (114) Bautista
x-Pudget (109) Dailey

THIRD RACE — $5,000, claiming, two-year-old maiden fillies, six furlongs:
Triumphant Entry (117) Caballero
Glorifier (115) Yaka
Silky Sandy (117) Archuleta
Shasta Colleen (115) Gomez
Genuine Lady (117) Gonzalez
x-Misty Marn (112) Arterburn
Grand Ol Time (115) Schacht
Capbeleau (115) Muñoz
Foolish Cahnce (117) Diaz
Moonlight Cocktail (117) Cruz
Lake Salari (115) Goldsmith
Magic Island (117) Ramirez
Tort Lass (117) Ramirez
Miss Bette Mae (117) Burkes
Madabouiyou (115) Winick
Malicious Fox (117) Mahorney

FOURTH RACE — $7,500, claiming, two-year-old fillies, six furlongs:
Shaheen (114) Goldsmith
Sharna L. (114) Arterburn
Lotta Tike (114) Burkes
Fleeting Across (114) Caballero
Out Of The West (112) Camaps
Foolish Flo (114) Mena
Old Westbury (114) Muñoz

FIFTH RACE — $4,500, claiming, three-year-old fillies, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Mystery Movie (114) Winick
Coral Pearl (114) Diaz
Hacienda Token (109) Felton
x-Ah Marie (109) Gonsalves
Lady Natasha (114) Couto
Azure Lark (114) Volzke
Chilly Reception (114) Jones
Matsy (117) Caballero
x-Spring Melody (109) Arterburn
Tower Gold (114) Burkes
Balance of Gold (114) Dinicola
La Jolla (114) Olivares
Miss Racko Lamb (114) Rond
Strand (114) Munoz
Top Rae (114) Goldsmith
Noorsknowhow (114) Winick

SIXTH RACE — $9,000, allowance, three-year-olds and up, fillies and mares, six furlongs:
Deploy (114) Schacht
Judys Knight (112) Diaz
Thirteenth Hope (110) Dinicola
Sugar Boots (112) Munoz
Sugar Thong (113) Spencer
Secret May (114) Volzke
My Escort (110) Olivares
Contour Miss (110) Arterburn

SEVENTH RACE — $5,000, claiming, three-year-olds, one and one-sixteenth miles.
Royal Thong (114) Ochoa
Floating Bridge (114) Olivares
Bestweetnow (112) Couto
Host The Fleet (114) Volzke
Majestic Hero (117) Arterburn
Pass The Mony (114) Spencer
Dr. Felix Starr (112) Diaz
Centennial Salute (112) Mahorney
x-Joan Can Do (106) Dailey
Earleo (112) Diaz
Abay Winsit (112) Rond
Hacker (112) Winick
Hi Zacla (114) Dinicola
Cocktail Time (114) Gomez
Royal Armor (112) Campas
Marsaquillo (114) Minin

EIGHTH RACE — $12,000, allowance, three-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles.
Never Slipping (113) Mahorney
a-Meteor (113) Olivares
St. (113) Diaz
a-Canvasser (120) Dampas
Alamado II (113) Schaht
Take A Bride (115) Arterburn
x-Mister Jacket (108) Flazco
Guards Up (113) Diniola
Prince J. C. (110) Ramirez
a—Entry

NINTH RACE — $4,500, allowance, three-year-olds and up, one and one-half miles.
x-Prince Diable (112) Dailey
Pet Theory (114) Yaka
Matiwol (114) Diaz
Attila The Turk (106) Ochoa
Super Dan (114) Arterburn
Win For George (114) No Boy
Larks Fur (114) Hamilton
Uniform (114) Burkes
Biggest Rebel (114) Caballro
x-Hiliario (109) Arterburn
Makyawannaholla (114) Ochoa
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Lise-Marie tops slalom

CORTINA D'AMPEZZO, Italy (AP) — Swiss star Lise-Marie Morerod won the women's special slalom Thursday and took the lead in the 1977 World Cup standings from Annemarie Moser-Proell, but the Austrian superstar won the combined title.

Morerod, 20, clocked the fastest times in both heats of the special slalom with 41.47 and 45.15 seconds for a total of 1:26.62. Her victory gave her second place in the combined, based on results of the slalom and Wednesday's downhill.

Proell-Moser, making a comeback bid her her sixth World Cup, won the downhill but was a poor 23rd in the slalom with a time of 1:31.11. However, she still was first in the combined with 26.75 points to 29.62 for Morerod.

The 25 points Proell-Moser picked up for the combined victory gave her 69 points in the World Cup standings, one shy of Morerod's 70.

Kathy Kreiner of Timmins, Ont., fell on the second run and did not finish. She dropped from seventh to 10th in the over-all standings. Susan Clifford of Old Chelsea, Que., was disqualified in the first run.

Clan wins

BURNABY (CP) — Simon Fraser University Clansmen easily stopped University of Winnipeg Wesmen 100-86 in a non-conference basketball game Thursday.

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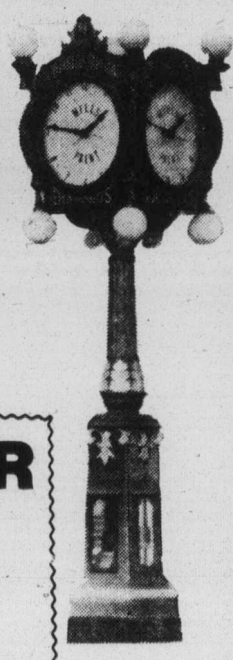
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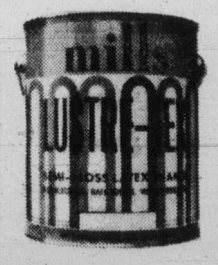

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Cepeda faces five-year term

SAN JUAN, P.R. (UPI) — Former major league baseball star Orlando Cepeda was sentenced Thursday to five years in jail and fined $5,000 for trying to smuggle 170 pounds of marijuana into Puerto Rico from Colombia.

Herminio Cortez, a former winter league player who was arrested with Cepeda in December of 1975, was sentenced to 30 months in jail and also fined $5,000.

Federal judge Hernan Pesquera ordered both men to serve three years of parole after completion of their prison terms.

Cepeda, 39, who retired from major league baseball two years ago after a 17-year career, was arrested by police at San Juan International Airport with Cortes while they were picking up a shipment of boxes filled with marijuana.

A jury found Cepeda and Cortes guilty last month, but sentencing was delayed until Thursday.

Cepeda began his major league career with the San Francisco Giants in 1958, when he was named National League rookie of the year after hitting .312. The first baseman was voted the league's most valuable player while playing for the St. Louis Cardinals in 1967 and participated in three World Series — 1962 with the Giants against the New York Yankees, with St. Louis against the Boston Red Sox in 1967, and 1968 with the Cardinals against the Detroit Tigers.

In addition to the Giants and Cardinals, Cepeda played for the Atlanta Braves, Boston and the Kansas City Royals.

A's lose mascot

OAKLAND (AP) — Charlie O, the mule and mascot of Oakland A's, is dead at the age of 20.

Charlie O's keeper, Stanley Cosca, said he died peacefully of a liver ailment at the University of California-Davis Veterinarian Clinic Wednesday evening.

"He was tremendously loved," said Cosca, owner of the Skyline Ranch in Oakland and Charlie O's caretaker during his nine-year career with the American League baseball team.

Charlie O was admitted to hospital on Dec. 8, Cosca said, and when word spread of his illness baseball fans of all ages sent get-well cards.

Charlie O was a gift to A's owner, Charles O. Finley, from Warren Hearne, then governor of Missouri. He was born and raised in Lathrop, Mo., known as the "mule capital of the world."

Bengals honor Bacon

CINCINNATI (UPI) — Veteran defensive-end Coy Bacon, who had 26 quarterback sacks, Thursday was named the Cincinnati Bengals' most valuable player for 1976.

Bacon's 26 sacks was the best in the NFL, and one less than the entire team managed last year.

The 33-year-old, nine-year NFL veteran, acquired before the 1976 season started in a trade with the San Diego Chargers, received $1,000 and a trophy for topping the balloting by Bengals' fans.

Officials who conducted the polling said Ken Anderson, who won the award the past two years, Bob Brown and Isaac Curtis, also received substantial votes.

Barnes pleads guilty

DETROIT (AP) — Marvin Barnes, a forward for the National Basketball Association's Detroit Pistons, pleaded guilty Wednesday in Wayne County circuit court to charges of attempting to conceal a weapon.

Barnes was scheduled to be sentenced Feb. 1 and faces a maximum penalty of two and a half years in jail and a $1,250 fine on the felony charge.

Following a pre-trial hearing Wednesday, it was decided Barnes would plead guilty in exchange for having the charge of carrying a concealed weapon reduced.

Neil Fink, Barnes' lawyer, asked the court not to sentence him before Jan. 17, when Barnes is scheduled to get a decision from a Rhode Island court on violating probation.

Fink said he has asked the Rhode Island court to allow Barnes to avoid a jail term by working full-time at the Detroit Youth Home.

Fink said he also asked Wayne County circuit Judge Joseph Sullivan to allow Barnes to work with youngsters in the youth home rather than go to jail.

Top quarterbacks on show

Stabler
. . . leads Raiders

United Press International

The 1976 National Football League playoffs figure to showcase eight of the top quarterbacks in the game: some young and some old, some conservative and some bold.

In games Saturday, Fran Tarkenton and his Minnesota Vikings host Billy Kilmer and his Washington Redskins while Steve Grogan and his New England Patriots travel to Oakland to meet Ken Stabler and the Raiders.

On Sunday, Terry Bradshaw and the Pittsburgh Steelers will take a shuttle to Baltimore to face the rifle arm of Bert Jones while James Harris and the Los Angeles Rams Journey to Dallas to face Roger Staubach and the Cowboys.

Tarkenton threw three more passes for more completions than any passer in the NFL this season and was the only NFC quarterback to complete more than 60 per cent of his tosses (61.9). He rates as the all-time best passer in the game with his name in the record book for most passes, completions, yards and touchdowns.

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Kilmer is a modern-day Bobby Layne who has been in and out of the Redskin lineup all season but always there when George Allen needed him. Kilmer had one of his best games in the season finale, throwing for 199 yards and one touchdown in a 27-14 victory over Dallas which clinched the wild card spot.

Grogan, the most reckless of all the quarterbacks in the playoffs, throws a lot of interceptions but more than makes up for it by his ability to scramble his way into the end zone. Grogan threw an AFC high 20 interceptions but scored 12 times on the ground and passed for 18 other touchdowns.

Stabler completed an NFL high 66.7 per cent of his passes for a league high 27 touchdowns. He utilizes the speed of Cliff Branch to go deep, cages the brute strength of Dave Casper to go short and calls on Fred Biletnikoff to do his imitation of Ray Berry at the siselines.

Bradshaw, who directed the Steelers to the last two Super Bowl titles, missed four games with injuries this year. He started nine games but only one in the final five weeks of the year. He threw three TD passes in the final two games.

Jones is considered the best young quarterback in the game, finishing second behind Stabler in AFC passing with a 60.3 completion rate. Jones was the only AFC passer to complete 200 passes this year and the only quarterback in the NFL to better the 3000 yard plateau with 3104.

Harris is a part of the Ram quarterbacking triangle who finished as the NFC's top ranking passer despite playing just seven games. He threw 158 passes but finished up with 1460 yards and eight touchdowns for a 57.6 completion rate. Harris starts this week because of the knee strain to Pat Haden.

Staubach blazed through the opening six games of the season with one 300-yard passing game and four 200-yarders before fracturing a finger against Chicago. He managed just two 200-yard games from that point but still finished with a 56.4 completion rate for 2715 yards.

Stabler heads passing parade

NEW YORK (AP) — Ken Stabler, who quarterbacked Oakland Raiders to the best record in the National Football League this season, wound up as the best passer in the league, statistics showed Thursday.

The Snake, as the left-handed seven-year veteran is known, completed 66.7 per cent of his passes, averaging 9.41 yards a toss. Twenty-seven of them went for touchdowns, including an 88-yard bomb to Cliff Branch. All of those figures led the league.

Based on the NFL's rating system involving the percentage of completions, average yards gained, touchdown percentage (he had one for every 9.3 passes) and interception percentage (5.8 per cent of his passes were picked off), Stabler finished with a rating of 103.7.

The only other quarterback to finish above the 100 mark was Baltimore's Bert Jones, at 102.6. Jones led the NFL in passing yardage with 3104. Stabler, at 2737, was fourth, behind Fran Tarkenton of Minnesota and Jim Hart of St. Louis. Jones was second to Stabler in touchdown passes with 24.

Mike Livingston of Kansas City was 10th over all in passing—fifth in the American Football Conference—but his favorite target, running back MacArthur Lane, wound up as the league's top receiver with 66 catches. Bob Chandler of Buffalo was second with 61.

Roger Carr of Baltimore beat out Branch by one yard for the top yardage by a receiver—1112 to 1111. The only other receiver over 1000 yards was San Diego's Charlie Joiner at 1056.

The top scorer in the league was Baltimore placekicker Toni Linhart with 109 points, hitting 20 of 27 field goals and all but one of his 50 extra—point attempts. Among non-kickers, Chuck Foreman of Minnesota and Franco Harris of Pittsburgh, each with 14 touchdowns for 84 points, tied for top honors.

Buffalo's O. J. Simpson won the rushing title for the fourth time in five years, with 1503 yards, well ahead of Walter Payton's 1390 for Chicago. Simpson also exceeded his own record of 250 yards in a game with a 273-yard performance on Thanksgiving Day at Detroit.

In all, 12 rushers gained 1000 yards or more. For the second time in league history, two of them were on one team. Harris, with 1128, and Rocky Bleier, with 1036, did it for Pittsburgh, matching the feat by the one-time Miami tandem of Larry Csonka and Mercury Morris.

Mary Bateman of Buffalo was the punting leader with a 42.8-yard average, Rick Upchurch of Denver topped the punt returners at 13.7 and Duriel Harris of Miami was the top kickoff returner with a 32.9-yard mark. Monte Jackson of Los Angeles had a league-leading 10 interceptions.

Jodzio has hearing

QUEBEC (CP) — Left-winger Rick Jodzio of Calgary Cowboys of the World Hockey Association now is awaiting a decision on whether he will be sent to trial on criminal charges.

The preliminary hearing of Jodzio's case in Quebec City ended Wednesday and Judge Cyrille Potvin of sessions court will decide March 7 if the case will go to trial.

Jodzio has been charged with assault with intent to injure Marc Tardif of Quebec Nordiques in an April 11 WHA game in Quebec City. Under section 228 of the Criminal Code of Canada, Jodzio faces a possible five-year jail sentence if he is convicted.

Government acting to save whitefish

TORONTO (CP) — The province will issue new fishing regulations soon to save the struggling whitefish population in Lake Simcoe, says Charlie Weir of the ministry of natural resources fisheries section.

Once looked on as an almost inexhaustible resource, whitefish in the lake north of Toronto are in serious trouble.

The new regulations will call for a shorter fishing season on the lake and the province's first bag limit on whitefish — two a day.

The regulations also will apply to the lake's other troubled sport fish, the late trout.

"We've been after some action for years" said Paul Hetherington of Hawkestone, Ont., past president of the Lake Simcoe Fish Hut Operators Association. "The fishery is in trouble, make no mistake about it."

The department made its decision after Ron Desjardine, biologist with the ministry's Lake Simcoe fisheries assessment unit, submitted figures showing that the whitefish catch dropped to only 7,000 in 1976 from more than 100,000 in 1968.

Desjardine said the "situation is ominous," adding that he suspects the drastic decline in catches was caused in part by silt and algae related to poor water quality.

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Car dealers agreed on surcharges—witness

Ex-partsman says talks preceded agreement

A three-per-cent freight charge and a 10-per-cent surcharge on parts and accessories were agreed to at two separate meetings of parts managers of Port Alberni car dealers, B.C. Supreme Court was told in Victoria Thursday.

Norman Unger, former parts manager of Katila Chevrolet-Oldsmobile Limited (formerly Grant Katila Motors Limited), was testifying in the fourth day of a two-week trial of five Port Alberni dealers accused under the Combines Investigation Act of restraint of trade.

The first meeting occurred in late 1967 and resulted in agreement to add three per cent for freight on sheet metal and body parts and the second meeting was around the end of July, 1969, and resulted in agreement on the 10-per-cent surcharge, he said.

Chatwin Motors Limited, Katila Chev-Olds, Meyers Holland Motors (Port Alberni) Limited, Ohs Brothers Motors Limited and Western Motors Limited are charged in the three-count indictment. Two of them, Meyers Holland and Ohs Brothers, now are merged as Western Motors.

They are accused of conspiring, combining, agreeing or arranging, together and with one another and with Alberni Datsun Limited, Buffies Superior Auto Body Limited and Pollard West Motors Limited, or with some or one of them, to "prevent or lessen, unduly, competition" in sales, transportation or supply by:

- Adding a common freight charge to the selling price of parts and accessories between Oct. 31, 1967, and Dec. 1, 1972;
- Adding a common surcharge to the sales of motor vehicle parts and accessories between June 1, 1969, and Dec. 1, 1972;
- Agreeing to a common policy in relation to rebates given for returned motor vehicle parts and accessories between July 1, 1969, and Dec. 1, 1972.

Unger said he was parts manager at Katila Chev-Olds for almost 10 years and a partsman for one and a half years before that. Since Jan. 1 of this year, he has been running a grocery store.

Unger said Leo Katila was worried about freight costs and asked him to attend a meeting of local parts managers to find a way of trying to recoup freight costs.

The parts managers of various companies had a meeting, discussed the freight situation, and "somehow we arrived at the three-per-cent figure." One man had recommended five per cent.

"We finally decided on three per cent based on the retail price, we would add on for freight," he said.

He said "basically" the three per cent was to be applied to sheet metal and body parts. He said he had the authority to arrive at any conclusion with the other parts managers and reported back to Katila after the meeting who "agreed that would be about the right figure."

Katila Chev-Olds began charging the freight price and he identified one invoice which showed a wholesale price of $116.05 for a fender for a body shop, a retail price of $145.20 and freight charge of $5.25.

He thought the charge was levied from January, 1968, to the end of 1972, which included the period covered by the indictment.

Dealing with the surcharge, he said Katila came to him and "mentioned we were going to try to get more gross from the parts business so he suggested 10 per cent" surcharge.

He thought it was to start Aug. 1, 1969, and said Katila asked him to get together with other parts managers and work out the details of the 10 per cent.

The consensus of the meeting, he said, was that the 10 per cent should be applied to "basically everything at the beginning" and at the beginning there were "very few items we did not put the 10 per cent on."

He said he told the meeting the surcharge shouldn't be put on fast-moving items but his opinion wasn't supported.

But, he said, it was realized that certain very fast-moving items "we could not possibly" put the surcharge on, for example, spark plugs.

He said, "I think I probably told Mr. Katila what transpired" at the meeting, and the company did start adding the surcharge.

Unger said he realized by mid-August it was "awfully hard" to put the surcharge on competitive lines of parts and accessories and he phoned the parts manager at Chatwin Motors and told him it probably wouldn't work and "we should drop it." The other parts manager didn't agree, he said.

At the time, Katila was away on vacation and he said "I don't remember if it was the same day or the next day" but after his phone call to the Chatwin Motors parts manager, Barry Meyers, part owner of Meyers-Holland Motors, phoned.

Unger said Meyers phoned to speak to Katila, and Unger was asked to take the call.

Meyers felt Unger should carry on with the surcharge, at least until Katila returned from vacation, and "I said I'd carry on with it."

When Katila returned from vacation there was a discussion and "the general context was he felt we needed more gross profit in the parts department and I finally agreed with him."

Unger said Katila Chev-Olds did apply the 10 per cent "basically, with a few exceptions," until some time in 1971 when it was dropped.

Unger said he dropped the surcharge for about nine months and didn't advise Katila.

He said the parts manager at Chatwin Motors phoned him and realized that Katila Chev-Olds hadn't been adding the surcharge.

Unger said he phoned the other parts manager and told him Katila Chev-Olds would drop the surcharge completely, effective April 15, 1971.

"He asked me if my management knew and I said they would know very shortly," he said.

He said he advised Katila of what he had said and Katila tried to convince him the 10 per cent was necessary.

There was another meeting with Katila and "I finally realized the extra 10 per cent was needed on some items all right but I made a list of the parts I thought we shouldn't put the 10 per cent on and Mr. Katila agreed with me."

He said the Chatwin Motors parts manager joined this discussion and the three of them went over the list and a list from the other parts manager and "between the two we compromised on this list."

Unger said "we pretty well agreed on" the other parts manager's list.

Some items were added to Unger's list later and Katila Chev-Olds followed that list until he left the company last year.

He agreed that franchise dealers of different manufacturers didn't compete in captive parts but franchise dealers of the same manufacturers, including Katila Chev-Olds and the other GM dealer in Port Alberni, Chatwin Motors, competed in captive parts.

He said outside salesmen would sell parts in Port Alberni and franchise GM dealers in Nanaimo and Victoria also came to the city to sell both captive and competitive parts.

He said Katila Chev-Olds actively pursued the same customers as Chatwin Motors. Asked if his company did this with vigor, he replied "we certainly tried."

He said the three per cent freight cost cut his company's freight bill by about 50 per cent, to something like $600 or $700 a year. The rest was absorbed by the dealership.

Unger was to continue his cross-examination today. The trial is before Mr. Justice J. G. Ruttan. The Crown's case is being presented by Cecil Branson, assisted by Patrick Sweeney. R. W. Lusk of Vancouver is representing the dealers.

Jane Austen's notebook sold

LONDON (Reuter) — A small notebook containing the manuscript of two early works by the English 19th-century author Jane Austen was bought for $50,000 by an anonymous collector at Sotheby's.

The manuscript was of Miss Austen's first serious novel, Catherine, or the Bower, and the story Evelyn.

Mine foreman faces charge

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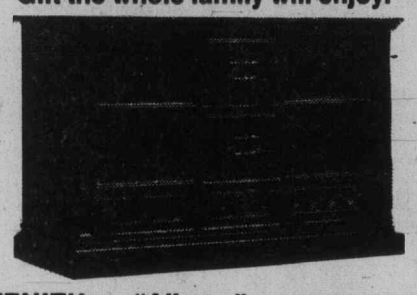

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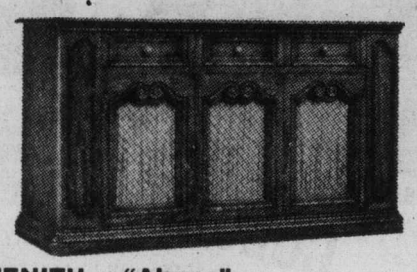

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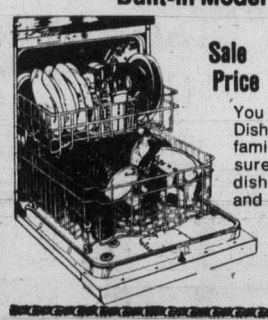

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Drawings being prepared

UVic eager for wing

Working drawings are being prepared for the new music wing at the University of Victoria so that tenders for its construction can be called the moment approval for financing is received.

UVic president Howard Petch said "the moment that approval is given by the minister of education we'll call for bids to construct the music wing." Preliminary drawings on the building have been completed since December of last year.

The Universities Council of B.C. recently reversed an earlier decision against approving the $3.2 million project, and wrote a letter to Education minister Pat McGeer urging him to give the new music wing high priority.

The project must now receive the approval of the B.C. Educational Institutions Capital Financing Authority, established this year, which consists of the ministers of education and finance, and the deputy minister of education.

One government official said "everything should be ready for tenders to be called by early in January," according to the Ring, UVic's official publication.

More 'new money' raised

United Way total $775,000

This year's United Way Campaign in Greater Victoria reached between 95 and 97 per cent of its $800,000 goal, campaign chairman Robert Siddall announced at a luncheon Thursday.

Siddall said final figures were still being computed, but it looked as though between $770,000 and $775,000 had been donated to the campaign.

He said the results put Victoria in fifth place in terms of "new money raised" of 20 major campaigns across Canada.

Norman Prelypchan, president of the United Way's board of directors, told an audience of about 100 that the luncheon was being held to "honor some of those who helped raise the bucks."

When he first told several people about the luncheon, Prelypchan said, they suggested it should be a "roast-Barrett luncheon."

He was referring to former premier David Barrett's recent remarks that many of those giving to charity would after Christmas revert back to a kick-welfare-bums attitude.

Siddall said in an interview before the luncheon he was glad Barrett didn't make the remarks three weeks ago when the United Way campaign might have been seriously hurt.

Lang extends freeze on rail abandonment

OTTAWA (CP) — The freeze on further abandonment of Prairie rail lines has been extended another six months from the end of December, Transport Minister Otto Lang announced Thursday.

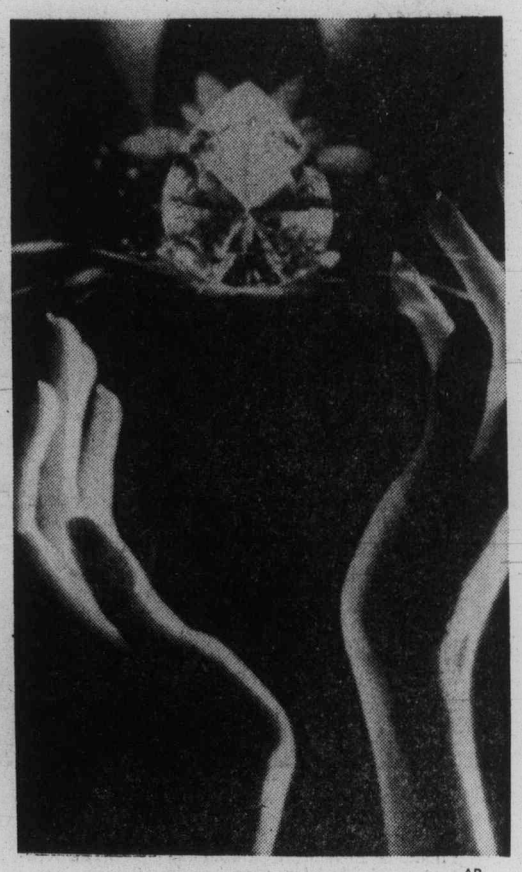
The minister said in a statement that this will allow time for the Hall commission on grain handling to complete its work. And the government would need time to consider the report and make decisions.

Justice Emmett Hall, a former Supreme Court of Canada judge, has completed hearings on grain handling and rail line abandonment issues and the commission report is expected in February.

The government divided the 20,000 miles of Prairie track into three categories almost two years ago. About 12,000 miles was classified as the permanent network and is protected until at least the year 2000.

The government unfroze about 600 miles allowing railways to apply to the Canadian transport commission for immediate abandonment.

The Hall commission has been looking at the remaining 6,000 miles to see what should be done.



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Danson sympathetic

U.S. pushing new DEW line

WASHINGTON (CP) — Canadian Defence Minister Barney Danson expressed some sympathy Thursday for U.S. proposals to upgrade North American and NATO air defence.

After discussions with U.S. Defence Secretary Donald Rumsfeld, Danson told reporters a major topic was the proposed airborne radar system the United States wanted to establish in North America.

The Canadian government has yet to make a decision on participation, but Danson said "our radar systems are getting pretty old now and do need up dating."

He said he could not give a precise estimate of how much it would cost Canada to participate in setting up the system, but the amount would be in the order of $100 million.

He said he found the Americans had no specific deadline in mind for agreement on the Canada-U.S. system.

A decision on that could wait until after late January or early February, when NATO ministers decide on the NATO system.

The NATO system would cost a total of $2.5 billion and would include attack control as well as radar warning.

Danson said, "Without exception, I think all members of NATO feel the system is militarily important, good and necessary."

Although in Brussels last week he said Canadian participation in setting up the NATO system would cost about $200 million, he said Thursday he could give no estimated cost because the possible Canadian share was being negotiated.

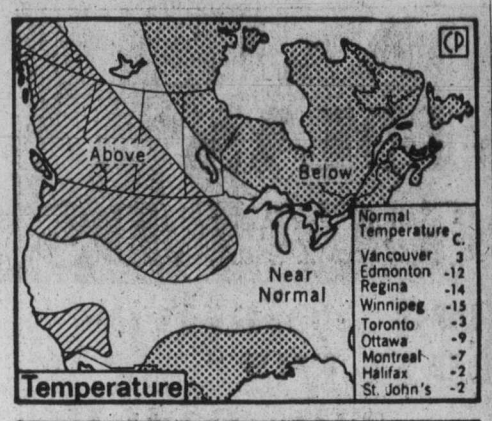
Danson said that in addition to discussions of the airborne radar systems, he had useful general briefings on Canada-U.S. defence co-operation.

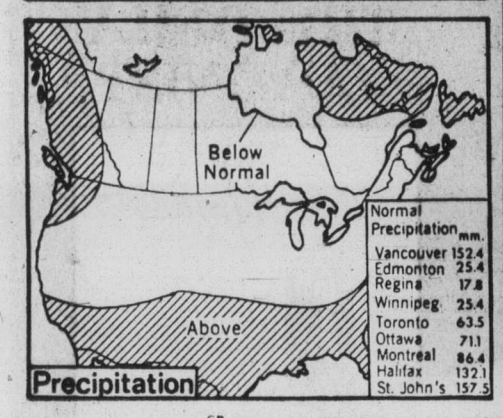
Questioned whether U.S. officials expressed any concern about developments in Quebec as a possible threat to U.S. security, Danson said the topic was not raised.

Danson appointed last month — laughingly indicated he still had much to learn about his portfolio.

After referring to the proposed NATO system as AWACS. (Airborne Warning and Control Sysem), he apologized for not being able to say exactly what the initials stood for.

"I'm sorry, I just came out of housing. I just got to learn all those initials and now I have to learn a whole bunch of new ones.





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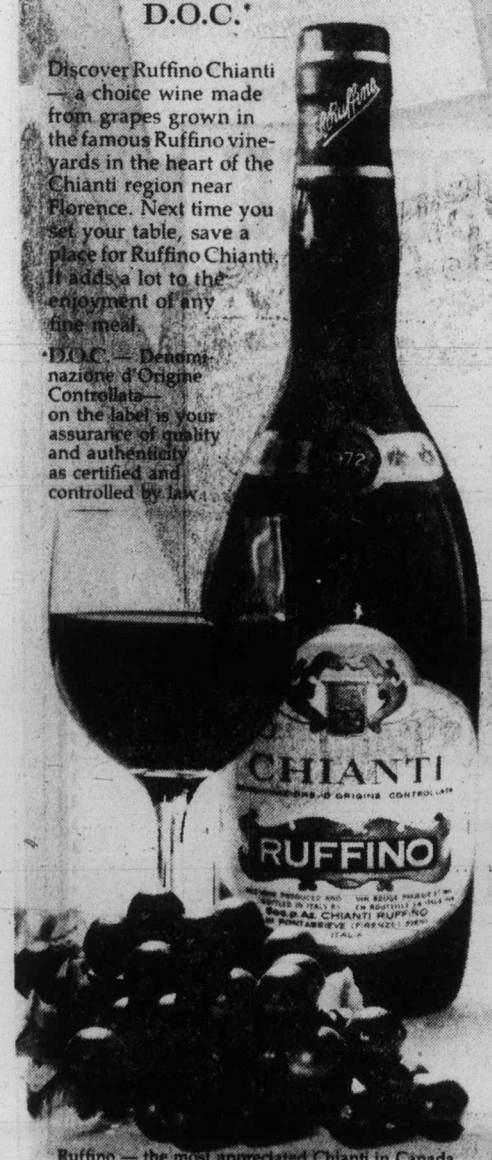

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Fewer boats and mass-production fishing

VANCOUVER (CP) — Just a few years ago, commercial fishermen caught salmon on the B.C. coast by setting nets when they saw the fish jumping.

Most fishboats were the relatively small gillnetters which screened river mouths and snared the salmon as they came in from the sea and headed upstream to spawn.

There were about 6,000 gillnetters working the coastal inlets in 1968, a few trollers highlining the outer waters and about 250 of the big purse seiners which corral schooling fish and brail them into the holds by the undredweight.

Today there are only about 2,700 gilletters, but there are about 1,200 trollers hunting with echo sounders and other sophisticated electronics. There are some combination-gear vessels and there are 430 big, efficient and almost insatiable drum seiners.

There are also 445 Indian-registered boats, some of them fine new seiners financed through the Indian Fishermen's Assistance Program.

Today the seiners, some of them capable of 20 knots, can race from one part of the coast to another and, armed with powerful hydraulics, can set and empty nets in 15 minutes when the fish are running.

The tracings of the echo sounder will plot concentrations of fish for the skipper, but the powerful drum spins the net so quickly he can play the odds with frequent "blind settings."

He has a vessel worth maybe $500,000, and economics dictate mass production. The boat is probably mortgaged to the gunwales. He has to pay shares to a crew of six and he has the cost of provisioning and fueling.

That is the difference between fishing today and in 1968, when the federal fisheries service brought in its licence-limiting program.

There are fewer boats, but more and better gear in the water than ever, many fishermen say.

And that is why even the prospect of a million extra Fraser River sockeye for the Canadian fleet this year won't bring the excitement of a bonanza run in past years.

"The seiners will gobble them up," said a gillnet fisherman whose 10-year B licence will expire at the end of next year, putting him on the beach.

In the old days, anybody could get a licence to go commercial fishing, and when a big run turned up at the Fraser mouth, people with 14-foot sports boats would be out there tangling nets with the gillnet fleet.

In 1958, when a big run hit, 200 fishermen made an average of $900 each on a single day when the river itself was open.

Rod Hourston, director of intergovernmental affairs for the fisheries service and a member of the International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission, agreed that with the present capability of the fleet, there would be no trouble catching the 2.3 million sockeye the commission estimated as Canada's share of the Fraser run in 1977.

He said there was also adequate cannery capacity to process it.

However, he said, if there were also big runs to central coast and northern B.C. rivers, there could still be a scramble and bonus catches for the gillnetters.

Only sockeye and pink salmon runs to the Fraser are regulated by the international commission, which was set up under a convention between Canada and the United States in 1930 to preserve and rehabilitate runs which were disrupted by rockslides in the Fraser Canyon in 1913 and 1914 during construction of the Canadian National Railways.

Since U.S. fishermen catch Fraser salmon which migrate south of the international boundary, the U.S. has shared in rehabilitation measures such as the Hell's Gate fishways and spawning channels.

In return for this, the commission apportions the catch as equally as possible between fishermen of the two countries.

Predictions on runs to the central and north coast and on runs of other Fraser species such as chinook, coho and chum, will be made within a month or so by the federal fisheries service.

Returns of spawners, which mature during uncharted migrations in the Pacific, are estimated by fish scientists on the basis of observed escapement of the young fry from lakes near their hatching beds.

But there are many vagaries in the salmon's life cycle that are not understood, and sometimes the educated guess is not very close.

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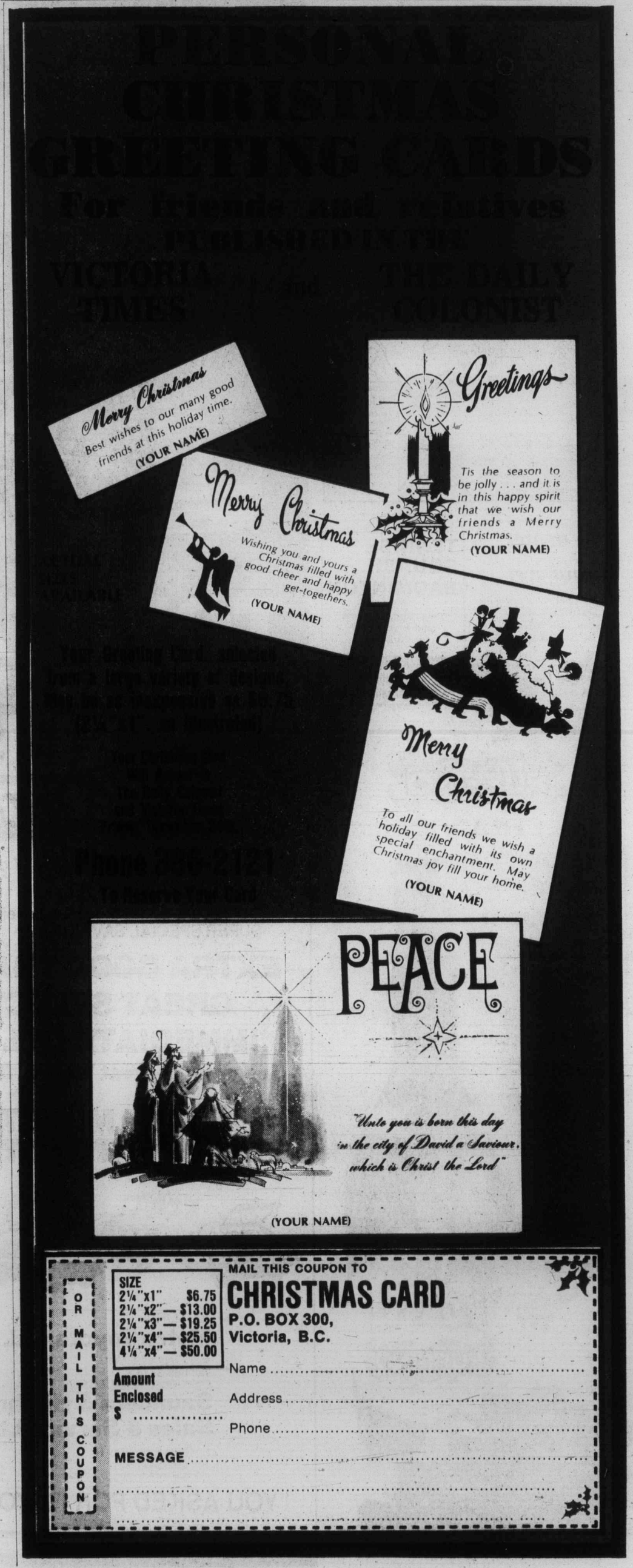

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Shop-in-B.C. plea fails

BELLINGHAM (CP) — A survey of markets, stores and banks here shows that devaluation of the Canadian dollar and a provincial government campaign to keep shoppers in B.C. have had little effect on the flow of Canadian shoppers.

"They (B.C. shoppers) will be down next weekend to shop for their Christmas dinner and most stores are looking forward to a record turnover," said a spokesman for Albertsons' Food Centres.

Last weekend, two of every three cars outside Bellingham shopping centres had B.C. licence plates.

Merchants say the average weekend shopping list is $50 to $60, but expect that to double this weekend.

A key attraction is turkey, at about 75 cents a pound. Canadians are limited to one bird a person and must pay 12½ per cent duty. Turkeys 20 pounds or more were advertised today at one supermarket chain in Vancouver for 95 cents a pound.

Biggest meat sellers are pork and pork products. Prices are low because there is a surplus in the United States, and Canadians pay no duty on pork.

Many residents here say that Canadians have forced grocery prices so high that they are forced to go to Mount Vernon, about 30 miles south of here. Bellingham is about 50 miles south of Vancouver.

A growing number of Canadians are shopping at home through a Montgomery Ward catalogue.

"They phone in their order and then drive down later in the day to pick it up," a spokesman for the store said. "Toys and watches are the most popular items this Christmas."

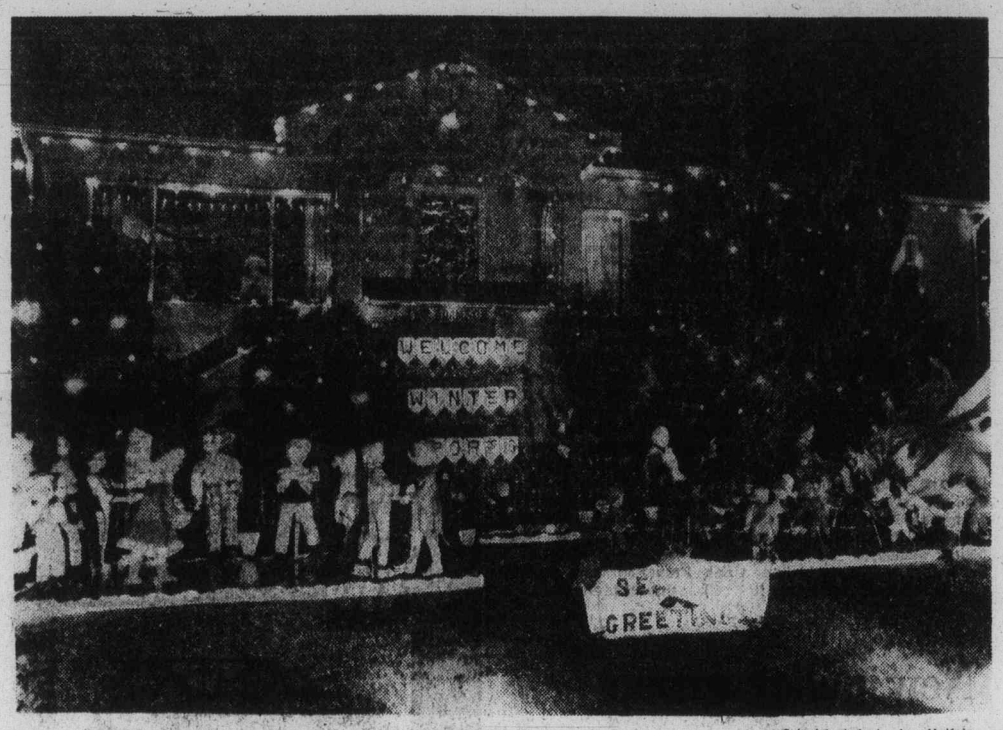
The exchange department at the Bellingham National Bank said the flow of Canadian currency has increased since the dollar was devalued.

"Much of this could be caused by Christmas shopping so we won't really know what effect the devaluation has until the new year," a spokesman said.

A Canada Customs spokesman at the Douglas border crossing said the office has been jammed every day from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. with shoppers returning home.

He said there have been few problems with smuggling.

"Most are quite content to declare their purchases and pay the duty," he said.



—Colonist photo by Ian McKain

Sporting occasion Christmas spectacle of sports razzle-dazzle lights up front garden of home of Sid Adamson at 1047 Colville in Esquimalt. Outdoor fantasy ranges from a high-flying hockey game to graceful skiing display.

Quebec air controllers will form own union

MONTREAL (CP) — Quebec air traffic controllers will apply to break away from the Canadian Air Traffic Control Association before the end of the year, a spokesman for the Quebec group said Thursday.

Noel Saloman, provisional president of a proposed Quebec controllers union, said representatives of Quebec's 330 controllers met here Wednesday to complete plans to certify a new union.

Quebec controllers currently belong to CATCA, but many also support an unofficial provincial air workers' group, the Association des Gens de l'Air du Quebec.

The Gens de l'Air have waged a battle with CATCA and the Canadian Air Line Pilots Association over the right of francophone air workers to use French at Quebec airports.

Saloman, currently Gens de l'Air vice president for Montreal controllers, said the Syndicat desControlleurs Aeriens du Quebec will apply to the federal public service commission for certification as a separate union.

CATCA's labor contract with the federal government expires Dec. 31, and Saloman said labor law allows the new union to file for certification in the last two months of the existing contract.

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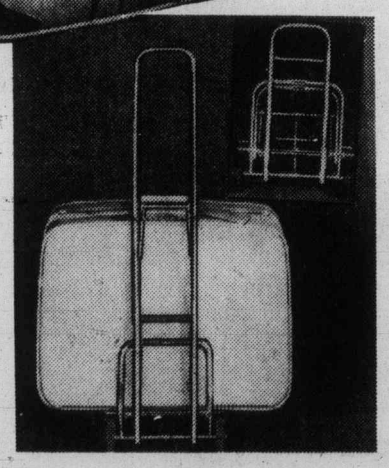

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NAMES in the NEWS

Gilmore tries again to beat executioner

SALT LAKE CITY — Convicted killer **Gary Gilmore** tried again Thursday to commit suicide by taking a "lethal" drug overdose, but doctors expected him to live until he can be shot by a firing squad next month. The condemned man, depressed by a judge's rejection of his pleas for quick execution, swallowed what doctors called "a lethal dose of a barbiturate", exactly one month after his first attempt to take his own life. A hospital spokesman said Gilmore could have died if he had not been found and treated quickly.

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OTTAWA — **Prince Charles** will visit Alberta in July, Government House announced. He will take part in celebrations marking the centennial of a treaty signing between July 5 and July 8. During the visit, Prince Charles will be made a Kanai chief and will open the annual Calgary Stampede.

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MUNICH — Kidnappers seized a West German millionaire's son Wednesday night and released him Thursday night for a ransom of $8.77 million, police revealed. Munich police commissioner **Manfred Schreiber said police** were scouring Bavaria for the kidnappers. The ransom was paid less than 24 hours after **Richard Oetker, 25-year-old** son of **Rudolf August Oetker,** head of a food processing and shipping empire, was kidnapped. He was released two hours after the ransom was paid, police said. He was found in a woods outside Munich. The kidnappers seized Oetker at about 9 p.m. Wednesday and informed police they had him in a safe place and would disclose its location after payment of the ransom.

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PLAINS, Ga. — **Jimmy Carter** announced Thursday he picked **Rep. Andrew Young** — first black on his cabinet-rank team — as UN ambassador, **Charles Schultze** as his chief economic adviser and Soviet expert **Zbigniew Brzezinski** as national security director.

Brzezinski, a brainy kremlinologist with academic credentials rivalling those of **Henry Kissinger,** immediately challenged Nixon-Ford foreign policy standards by saying the nature U.S.-Soviet detente will be changed from what it has been "in the last eight years."

Gilmore
. . . overdose

In making Thursday's announcements, Carter denied he has been harassed by competing interest groups in the matter of cabinet selections. He insisted, for example, that former defence secretary **James Schlesinger** and former air force secretary **Harold Brown** remain in the running for cabinet posts despite reported opposition to both.

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CHICAGO — **Patricia Hearst** told CBS in an interview aired Thursday night that she thought her fellows in the Symbionese Liberation Army got "exactly what they deserved" when they died in a shootout with Los Angeles police. "I don't feel sorry for them at all," she said in the exclusive interview shown on the **Walter Cronkite CBS** evening news and monitored in Chicago. It was the first interview the newspaper heiress had given since she was found guilty of participating in a San Francisco bank robbery with members of the SLA.

Wine-loving Austrians pay price with health

VIENNA (AP) — Some Austrians say that Wine, Women and Song could be the unofficial national anthem of this happy-go-lucky alpine country. But apparently the wine plays the dominant part.

Doctors of the Public Accident Insurance Institute, which does not deal with traffic accidents, stated that one-fifth of all persons injured in accidents were under the influence of alcohol.

During 1975, according to their statistics, at least 20,000 of the 104,000 persons who were injured at work or during their leisure time had been drinking. The number alarmed officials.

Wine is the favorite drink. In 1975, growers produced 65 million gallons of wine and a considerable amount is consumed by Austrians.

Although up-to-date statistics on alcoholism are unavailable, Austria's 1971 health report said 47.2 of every 100,000 males died of cirrhosis. France is the only European country with a higher percentage of cirrhosis-caused deaths.

Doctors say such liver ailments are caused to a large extent by drinking too much alcohol.

The institute's stastistics show that persons between the ages of 21 and 40 make up the majority of those injured while under the influence of alcohol.

Most accidents — 34 per cent — occurred mid-week and 30 per cent happened between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Journal staff fighting back

OTTAWA (CP) — Unions representing about 200 locked-out workers at the Ottawa Journal say they have started a campaign to encourage the public to cancel subscriptions to the paper and for advertisers to cancel their ads.

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New policy group for B.C. forestry

Forests Minister Tom Waterland has accepted the first piece of advice from the Pearse royal commission on forestry and appointed a special forest policy advisory committee.

Deputy forests minister John Stokes will devote his full time to the committee, which will comprise Dr. James Rae, assistant deputy minister of economic development; Wes Cheston, resources manager, B.C. Forest Service; and T. P. Apsey, consulting forest economist, Vancouver.

While Stokes concentrates on getting the committee off the ground E. L. (Ted) young, chief forester for B.C., will assume responsibility for the administration of the B.C. Forest Service.

The switch in duties is regarded by many as a demotion for Stokes, although he remains on staff and no deputy minister replacement has been named.

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Memorial in braille Westminster's first

LONDON (CP) — For the first time in its 900-year history, Westminster Abbey has a memorial stone carved in braille for the convenience of blind persons.

The memorial is to Lord Fraser of Lonsdale, who was blinded in the Battle of the Somme in 1916 but served in the House of Commons and House of Lords for 35 years. He visited Canada several times and inspired the blind of many nations with his courageous leadership.

The braille inscription is made up of 580 phosphor bronze rivets produced in the workshop of St. Dunstan's Institute for the Blind. Each braille dot was drilled and fitted by Norman French, St. Dunstan's research engineer, and fixed to a bronze plate bearing St. Dunstan's official crest.

Over the inscription is a bronze profile of Lord Fraser by sculptor David McFall. It is mounted on a plaque of blue Coniston slate and was unveiled recently by Fraser's grandson, Neil McDonald.

The cost of the memorial has been borne by war-blinded men and women all over the world and by members of Lord Fraser's family.

Lord Fraser was chairman of St. Dunstan's for 53 years. He was elected member of Parliament for the Lonsdale division of northwest England in 1940 and was elevated to the House of Lords in 1958. He defied blindness by riding horseback, playing cards and chess and directing his family's wholesale clothing business.

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Dear Ann: Don't tell me I'm a stupid jerk. Just tell me how to get out of this jam.

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Several months ago a blonde who works in this office told me she was in real trouble. The poor kid fell in love with a no-good skunk and he ran out on her. She asked if she could use my name when she went to the hospital to have her baby. I felt sorry for her — alone in town, no friends, etc. — and said OK.

Yesterday I read in the paper that I am the father of a baby boy. Everyone else read it, too, including my fiancee and her family. She phoned me at the office as soon as the first edition came out to tell me she never wants to see me again.

I went to her house the minute I got off work. Her father saw me through the curtains and told me to get off their property or he would call the police.

Ann, I swear I had nothing to do with that blonde except to let her use my name. I never so much as brought her a cup of coffee. This is what I get for trying to be a nice guy. Please help me. — **Hot Water**

Dear Water: Go to the hospital at once and tell the girl YOU are in a jam and now it's her turn to be a nice guy.

If she has a shred of decency she will contact the hospital chaplain, tell him the truth and ask him to call your fiancee and her family. Good luck to all of you.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm in real trouble and it's your fault. I was reading a newspaper in class this morning — one that carries your column. Suddenly, I had the feeling a human being was nearby, just standing there. It wasn't the teacher, as I had feared. It was the principal.

He asked, "What do you think you are doing?" I was so scared my throat was dry but I finally managed to say, "I am reading Ann Landers." He replied, "So I see." Then he took me by the arm to the teacher.

Now I have to write your column out in longhand every day for two weeks straight unless you print this letter and advise students that it is NOT a good idea to read your column during class.

Do you know that your daily column has 706 words in it? My arm is about to fall off. Please hurry. — **Hank**

Dear Hank: I'm flattered by your loyalty and will do my best.

Hear ye! All students who read Ann Landers in class! Cease and desist! Let not your eye be beguiled by unassigned reading matter. Ye shall be graded by your knowledge of Shakespeare and Kant, n ot Landers. Chance it not or ye may be banished from the classroom forever. And ME with thee.

Dear Ann: Help, please! A very nice gentleman who works in this department has a habit of clicking his dentures when he reads reports or does figuring.

Sometimes when he is waiting for a telephone connection he gets those teeth going and it drives us all batty.

Six of us have discussed the problem several times but no one knows had to deal with it. This is no Yale joke, Miss Landers. We are — **Up The Wall in Akron**

Dear Ak: That very nice gentleman obviously is unaware of his irksome habit. Write a gentle, well-worded note and place it on his desk. Sign it "All of Us." I'll bet he sees his dentist soon and gets those choppers adjusted.

It's 75 birthdays for Peter Rabbit

LONDON (UPI) — Raise your glasses, children of all ages, to Peter Rabbit's 75th birthday.

Beatrix Potter's The Tale of Peter Rabbit was first printed Dec. 16, 1901. The world-famous bunny story, the spin-off from an illustrated letter to a sick child, has sold uncounted millions of copies in at least 14 languages.

Publishers Frederick Warne and Britain's National Book League are saying happy birthday, Peter Rabbit with an exhibition of Beatrix Potter's original drawings and manuscripts at National Book League headquarters until Jan. 14.

"Peter Rabbit has probably achieved more international goodwill than the United Nations," actress Nanette Newman said in opening the exhibition.

Beatrix Potter, who died at 77 in 1943, was a gifted artist as well as writer and her landscapes, village scenes, flowers and animal studies are also featured exhibits.

Born into a wealthy London family, her affection for pets led her to buy, when in her mid-20s, a young rabbit — the original Peter.

The Tale of Peter Rabbit began as an eight-page letter in 1893 to a five-year-old sick boy, Noel Moore, eldest child of her former governess. It was illustrated with 16 pencil sketches and began:

"My Dear Noel, I don't know what to write to you, so I shall tell you a story about four little rabbits whose names were Flopsy, Mopsy, Cottontail and Peter . . ."

Five years later Beatrix Potter considered making the story into a book. She retrieved her original letter and wrote the text into a hard-bound exercise book She made 42 accompanying pen and ink sketches.

During 1900 it was submitted to at least six major publishers. All rejected it. In 1901 she decided to print it privately and commissioned 250 copies, which she received from the printers on Dec. 16, 1901.

The same day came word from Frederick Warne, one of the rejecting publishers, that he had reconsidered and accepted the book — on condition she prepare color illustrations.

The first publisher's edition of 6,000 copies appeared in 1902. Its illustrations had been complicated by the death of Peter Rabbit the previous year, for Beatrix Potter relied on her pets as models.

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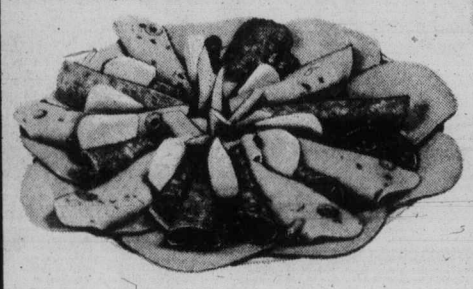

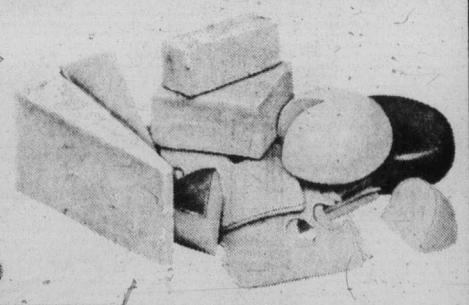

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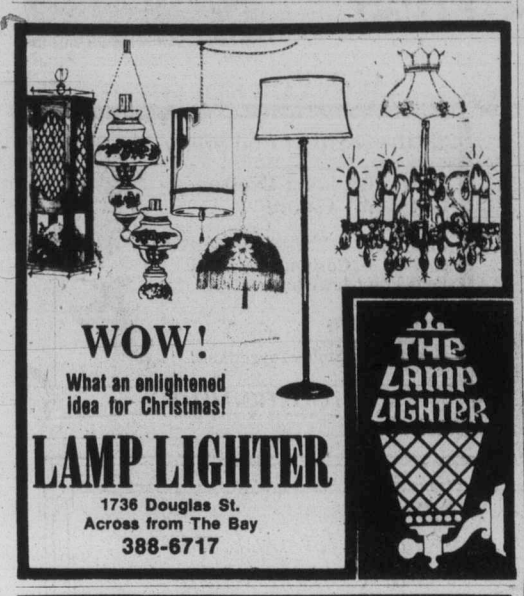
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Here is something a little different that is not only delicious in taste but can also be a lively centrepiece for your Christmas table setting.

A chocolate cookie tree is something that the entire family can become involved with by assembling the edible decoration.

The base of the tree is a small custard cup covered with your favorite decorative Christmas paper. Surround it with holiday figures, then watch out when those little ones begin to nibble.

Here is the recipe for making and assembling.

COOKIE TREE

1 6-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate morsels
1¾ cups unsifted flour
2 measuring teaspoons baking soda
1 measuring teaspoon cinnamon
¼ measuring teaspoon salt
2-3 cup shortening
½ cup sugar
1 egg
¼ cup corn syrup
nonpareils
10 medium marshmallows, cut in thirds
1¾ cups sifted confectioners' sugar
2 measuring tablespoons water
Silver dragees.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Melt semisweet chocolate morsels over hot (not boiling) water; remove from heat and set aside. In small bowl, combine flour, baking soda, cinnamon, and salt; set aside.

In large bowl, combine shortening, sugar, and egg; beat until creamy. Mix in corn syrup and melted chocolate. Gradually blend in flour mixture.

To make graduated cookie layers for the tree, measure out bottom 4 layers of tree using 7, 6, 5, and 4 measuring tablespoonsful dough. Roll into four balls; reserve remaining dough.

Roll balls made with 7 and 5 measuring tablespoonsful dough in nonpareils. Place on two ungreased cookie sheets. With hand, press dough to ¾-inch thcikness. Bake at 350 degrees F. for 20 minutes.

Using remaining batter, measure out to 5 layers of tree using 3, 2, 1½, 1, and ½ measuring tablespoonfuls dough. Roll into five balls. Roll balls made with 3, 1½, and ½ measuring tablespoonsful dough in nonpareils. Place on ungreased cookie sheet at least 3 inches apart. Bake at 350 degrees F. for 15 minutes.

Use remaining dough to make star for top of tree and cookies to lay around bottom of tree. Press small amount of dough flat. With small, star-shaped cutter, cut star.

Using 1 measuring teaspoonful batter, measure out cookies; roll into 1-inch balls. Place on ungreased cookie sheets. Bake at 350 degrees F. for 10 minutes. Cool cookies completely.

To assemble tree: Cut 7-inch circle of cardboard and place under largest cookie. Place one cookie on top of the other starting with the largest cookie.

To secure layers using pieces of marshmallow, dip each side of marshmallow in glaze and place 4 pieces of marshmallow between first three cookie layers and three pieces of marshmallow between layers.

Drizzle remaining glaze over tree to simulate tinsel; decorate with silver dragees. Top tree with star and secure with glaze. Cover small custard cup (5-ounce) with aluminum foil or wrapping paper. Stand cardboard and cookie tree on custard cup.

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Although sometimes not as lean as hams, cottage rolls and picnics are the delight of the budget-minded cook as they are nutritious, economical and tasty.

Ready-to-serve products have been fully cooked prior to packaging. They may be sliced and served cold or heated until the internal temperature on a meat thermometer reaches 130 degrees Fahrenheit.

The cook-and-serve types must be cooked prior to serving and require an internal temperature of 170 degrees.

While sweet pickled cottage rolls should be simmered, smoked cook-and-serve cottage rolls and picnics can be either simmered on top of the stove or cooked in a 325-degree oven if you prefer to serve them hot.

Ford to hire counsellor

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford has asked Dean Burch to serve as his private counsel after he leaves office, a White House announcement said.

Burch will receive and process any offers Ford receives for jobs or other activities after Jan. 20, the announcement said. Burch is a former chairman of the Federal Communications Commission and chairman of the Republican party.

—Christian Science Monitor photo

Easy-mix version with peacan-coconut frosting

German chocolate cake now recognized classic

By PHYLLIS HANTS
Colonist - Monitor News Service

One of the more interesting phases in the development of an American cuisine has come from the old-fashioned, neighborly habit of recipe-swapping. Because of the mobility of the American society over the years, family recipes have been carried across the plains and deserts from coast to coast.

They have been swapped in communities by neighbors moving when husbands have been transferred in business and transported from state to state by young brides carrying their mothers' and grandmothers' favorite recipes to new homes.

This kind of life produces what may be called "restless recipes," recipes that will be talked about in a town, vanish when someone tries to track them down, then reappear far from the original source.

Such has been the mystery of the recipe for German chocolate cake which first surfaced in the fall of 1957 when a Texas homemaker sent the recipe to a food writer of a Dallas newspaper. The recipe was printed and the sale of the cake's main ingredient, Baker's German sweet chocolate, started to increase in the southwest.

Recognizing the interest in this recipe, General Foods distributed it with photos of the cake to 120 food editors. Immediately, echoes were heard across the country.

A St. Louis woman recalled it had been a favorite cake of her mother years ago, but it had been abandoned during the '30s depression. Oklahoma readers claimed it as their own, remembering a similar cake had a few years before won a prize at the state fair.

A national newspaper columnist reported the cake was actually the inspiration of a chef in a small florida restaurant. And since the frosting used coconut, the cake was rumored to actually be of Hawaiian heritage.

Still another rumor was that it must be a cake of European origin because of its name, German chocolate cake.

In spite of all the claims, the cake was a hit everywhere, and the New York Times reported it one of the most requested recipes of 1958.

Now the German chocolate cake can easily be considered an American classic. It has been imitated, adapted into pie, cake roll, and cookie recipes, translated into European directions and measurements and even offered as an ice cream flavor.

Here is the original recipe with the pecan-coconut filling and frosting, in an easy-mix version.

CHOCOLATE CAKE

1 package (4 oz.) sweet cooking chocolate
2 1-3 cups sifted cake flour
1½ cups sugar
1 teaspoon baking soda
½ teaspoon double-acting baking powder
⅛ teaspoon salt*
2-3 cup butter or margarine*
¼ cup buttermilk*
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs
¼ cup buttermolk?

*Or use vegetable shortening and increase salt to 1 teaspoon and second addition of buttermilk to ¼ cup plus 2 tablespoons.

Melt chocolate over very low heat; cool. Sift flour with sugar, soda, baking powder, and salt.

Stir butter to soften. Add flour mixture, ¾ cup buttermilk, and the vanilla. Mix until all flour is dampened; then beat 2 minutes at medium speed of electric mixer or 300 vigorous strokes by hand, scraping bowl occasionally.

Add melted chocolate, eggs, and cup buttermilk. Beat 1 minute longer with electric mixer or 150 strokes by hand. Pour batter into three 8-inch layer pans which have been lined on bottoms with paper.

Bake at 350 degrees F. for 30 to 35 minutes, or until cake tester inserted into centers comes out clean. Cool cakes in pans 15 minutes, then remove from pans and finish cooling on racks.

FILLING AND FROSTING

1 cup evaporated milk
1 cup sugar
3 eggs yolks, slightly beaten
½ cup butter or margarine
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 1-3 cups (about) flaked coconut
1 cup chopped pecans.

Combine milk, sugar, egg yolks; butter, and vanilla in a saucepan. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens, about 12 minutes. Remove from heat. Add coconut and pecans.

Cool until of spreading consistency, beating occasionally. Makes 2½ cups. For thinner frosting, use only 2 egg yolks.

Quebec needs $590 million

QUEBEC CITY (UPI) — Quebec's new Parti Quebecois government has brought down a massive $590 million supplementary budget, most of which will be used to pay for labor contracts agreed to by the previous liberal government.

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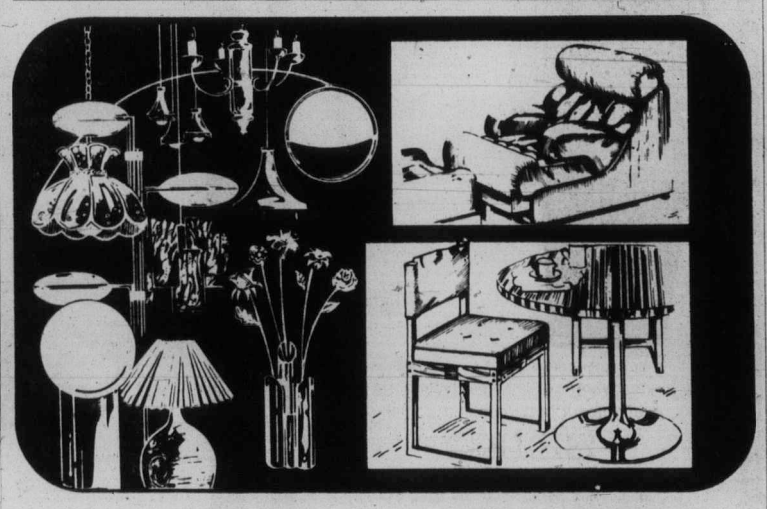
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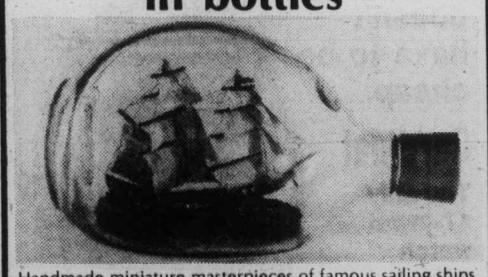
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More than 100,000 people in British Columbia belong to 350 retail co-operatives which exchange shares for cash and give members the right to use the service and help run it.

There are credit unions, housing co-ops, transportation co-ops providing bus service to work in company towns and CFRO-FM in Vancouver, a co-operative radio station whose members produce all local programming.

Co-op members join for two reasons, said Mogans Piepgrass, special projects adviser of Federated Co-operatives Ltd. in B.C.

"Some people join co-ops because they believe in co-op principles and they see it as a method of getting some democracy into the business place.

"And some are in it for the saving, strictly dollars and cents. People feel there must be better ways of coping with the cost of living. Co-ops are one of the ways."

All decisions in co-ops are made by annually elected executives.

Within the co-operative movement are two groups, the established co-ops and alternative co-ops.

Established co-ops run on a businesslike basis and include the 62 member co-ops of Federated, the 600,000-member credit unions and the Co-operative Insurance Service.

The alternative co-ops deal mainly in food and start with politically or lifestyle-based groups, using volunteer labor to avoid high costs.

In many B.C. towns members pay a nominal $1 or $5 share fee to shop in a co-op and pay supermarket prices. Members get dividends at the end of the year adding up to a one-to-five-per-cent rebate on the year's purchases.

Surrey Co-op is a 57-year-old operation with 17,000 members and $31 million in sales last year and is the only Federated member in Greater Vancouver. It sells groceries, feed, hardware, home supplies, gasoline and bulk oil.

Traditional co-ops "don't teach people much about where their food comes from or what's in it," says Keith Jardine, one of five paid workers at Fed-Up Co-operative Wholesalers. "They tend to support the status quo."

"We try to de-emphasize supermarket foods," said Jardine.

"They're often overly processed and more expensively packaged than they need to be. We buy in bulk and package it ourselves—like putting it in a paper bag."

Savings of up to 15 or 20 per cent are possile this way, he said.

Eggnog recipes given

Eggnog originated in 15th century England, where it was called syllabub and was made by curdling or whipping wine with milk or cream.

If you've never tried making your own eggnog, there's no better time to start than the Christmas season, when the festive beverage is a traditional favorite to serve family and guests.

CREAMY EGGNOG

3 B.C. fresh eggs, separated
2 cups whole milk
3 tablespoons rum
2 tablespoons granulated sugar
½ cup heavy cream, whipped
Nutmeg, cinnamon

Beat egg yolks until thick. Add milk and rum; mix well. Beat egg whites until soft peaks form. Add sugar gradually and continue beating until stiff peaks form. Fold yolk mixture and whipped cream into beaten whites. Stir until smooth. Sprinkle with nutmeg before serving. Serves six.

Variations:

Chocolate eggnog — substitute chocolate milk for whole milk. Omit rum.

Brandy eggnog — substitute 3 tablespoons brandy for rum.

Cherry eggnog — substitute 3 tablespoons cherry brandy for rum and add a few drops red food coloring.

Coffee eggnog — substitute 2 tablespoons instant coffee for rum and add 2 tablespoons sugar.

Senators kill abortion bill

THE HAGUE (Reuter) — A bill to legalize abortion in The Netherlands has been rejected in the upper house of Parliament.

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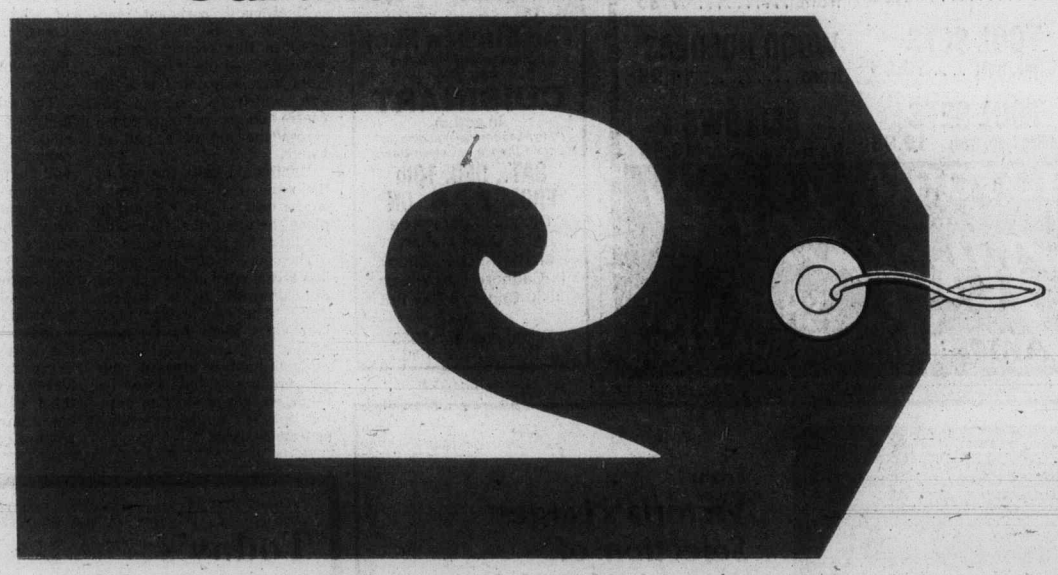

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Six others have finished the course and expect to be working soon in tax offices across Canada.

Andrew Todd, chief of audits in the Toronto district tax office, was asked by the CNIB to set up the course.

Todd said applicants must have high school and some business experience or one or more successful years at a university. They must be fluent in braille.

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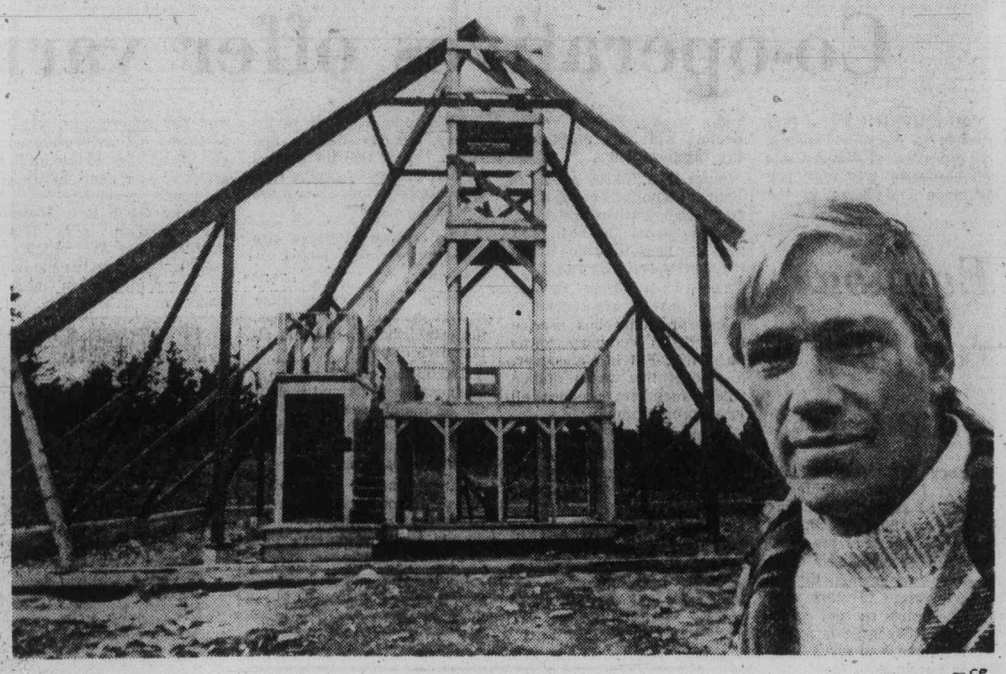

Pyramid generates 'soft power' in Nova Scotia — CP

Grouse Mountain opens

NORTH VANCOUVER (CP) — A $7 million Swiss-made tramway that can carry 100 passengers on each trip up Grouse Mountain was officially opened this week by Grouse Mountain Resorts Ltd.

John Hoegg, company president, said the new skyride will operate in tandem with the old one and can carry up to 1,200 passengers an hour.

Hoegg said the ski area's winter business should increase 20 to 25 per cent because the new lift will triple the mountain's access capacity.

Pyramid power wave of future

BARRA HEAD, N.S. (CP) — Rising to a height of more than 31 feet and facing true north is the pyramid of Barra Head.

Ian Woods, a 26-year-old Toronto landscape architect, said he was inspired by the Great Pyramid of Gizeh to design the structure to generate a "soft" energy that would be spiritually uplifting and physically energizing.

"The pyramid is the symbol of man's potential," he said. "It is also symbolic of man's own internal energy."

Woods said pyramid power is the shape of things to come. It is a "resonant" energy which is focused on living things through the peculiar structure of the pyramid.

Like radio waves, there are energy waves from the universe, he said, and the pyramid acts like an antenna in picking up these waves and transmitting them to things within it.

It could effect beneficial changes on both the mind and body.

Unlike transcendental meditation or yoga, pyramid energy is not necessarily exploited through self-induced mediation, he said. Its flow through plants and animlas could cause physical changes.

Woods said there is no scientific evidence that proves the pyramid form generates pyramid energy.

But his research and the reported experiences of others over the centuries showed that food quality was enhanced, food was preserved, razor blades remained sharp, water was purified; plant yield increased, healing and sleeping time improved, animals were energized, meditation improved, sex was enhanced, relationships improved, the mind reacted to situations more quickly and the ability to think and make decisions improved along with awareness and over-all condition.

The Great Pyramid of Gizeh was built of limestone and granite blocks weighing 2½ tons each. One of the Seven Wonders of the World, it is estimated to have taken 100,000 men 20 years to build around 2000 BC.

Woods said the Great Pyramid is located in the exact centre of the earth's land mass and at the apex of the Nile Delta. It is oriented almost exactly to true north and is precisely construced, without the formulae of modern mathematics.

Woods sited his open pyramid over two intersecting underground streams an important choice, he said, because all ancient holy buildings were placed over similar sites.

Constructed with wood beams at precise base angles of slightly less than 52 degrees, it is level on the ground, like the Great Pyramid, which was level within one inch.

The edges of the pyramid and base must be straight and smooth, he said, in order to enhance the flow of energy and the pyramid's resonance.

Within the pyramid there are certain focal points of energy. The main point is the King's Chamber, which is one-third up from the base and facing true uorth.

Woods said the "shadow" pyramid underground corresponds with the demensions of the physical one. An underground doorway to the Queen's Chamber, also one-third of the way from the base, may also be a focal point of energy.

Mousetrap prototype does job

QUESNEL (CP) — Local mice are hopping, skipping and splashing to their doom here, victims of a breakthrough in mousetraps that could make a fortune for its inventor.

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The mice walk the plank, hop to the edge of the can and are dumped to a watery grave. The can swings back into place, ready for the next victim.

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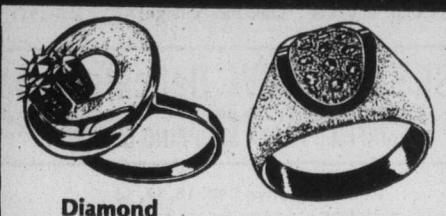

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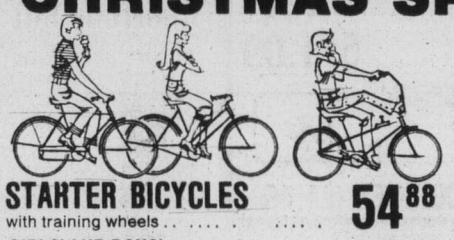

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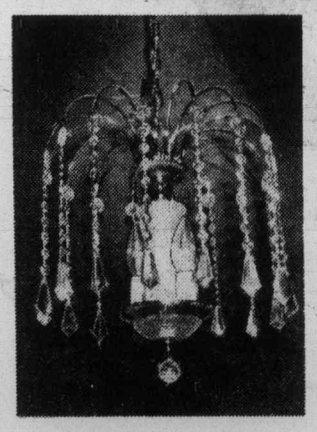

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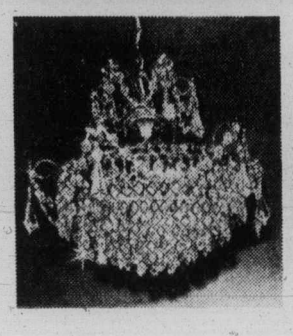

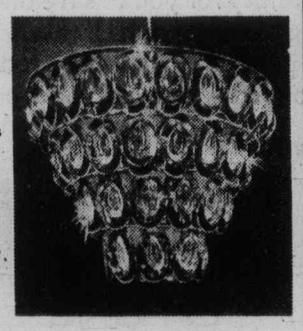

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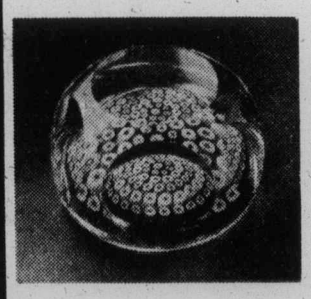

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Guidelines set in purchase of children's toys

By SHERYL FITZGERALD
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NEW YORK — Choosing a Christmas gift for a child isn't just a matter of buying the latest gadget advertised, according to an advocate of toy safety. It's important to consider what toys are appropriate to the child's abilities, interests and age group, he said, and especially to consider what's safe.

Dr. Joseph Greensher, a New York pediatrician, said that despite federal laws governing toy safety, there are an estimated 132,000 toy-related injuries in the nation each year that are serious enough to require emergency room treatment. And parents should not expect manufacturers or the federal government to be completely responsible for keeping unsafe toys out of their children's hands, he said.

One of the prime things to remember, Greensher said, is that playing is necessary to a child's living and development. The most effective toy, therefore, is one that will help children to develop abilities they don't already have, to build motor skills, to develop social contacts, to enlarge communication skills or to explore the world around them.

According to the American Toy Institute, too, parents should know what sort of toy is best for a child's age and maturity. Here are some of the instiltute's guidelines:

Babies — Toys should be bright-colored and lightweight. They should be washable, free of rough edges that can cut or scratch, and large enough not to be swallowed. Bright objects suspended over baby's crib, plastic rattles shaped like dougnuts, bumable dolls and animals or floating bath toys are good gift suggestions for infants.

Toddlers — they need toys that stimulate curiosity, like cloth or plactic books with bright illustrations, nested blocks of soft plactic or wood, telephones, musical tops, push-pull toys or pots and pans.

Preschool children — their toys should allow imitation of adult activites. Housekeeping toys, dolls, trucks, cars, tricycles and wagons, nontoxic paints, clay and crayons are some examples.

School-agers — Here, toys should serve teaching purposes as well as provide enjoyment. Blocks, dolls, paints, blackboards, blunt scissors, simple sewing kits, puzzles, hand puppets, books and records are good choices. For the 6-to-9-year-old school child, table games, workbenches with good tools and materials, bicycles and books that they can read themselves are good.

According to the Consumer Products Safety Commission, some of the hazards that should be kept in mind when purchasing toys, particularly for smaller children, include:

● Toys for little ones should not be too small, come apart or be easily shattered. To prevent swallowing, the toys should be larger than 1.25 inches in diameter and should not be able to fit into a truncated cylinder 2.25 inches long.

● Toys for youngsters should not be made of flammable material, or have surfaces that can reach high temperatures. Items like woodburning kits are not recommended by the commission for children under 12.

● Toys should not have exposed gears, springs or hinged parts that can pinch fingers, or catch clothing or hair. Battery-operated toys are preferred. Electrical plug-in toys with heating elements should not be purchased for children under 8 years old. When old enough to use such toys, the children should be taught to unplug electrical devices by grasping the plug, not by pulling the cord. Parents should use the toy with the child to make sure that the child understands its use. Electrical toys should have monthly wiring checks for safety.

● Chemistry sets and rocket-fuel kits are usually appropriate only for children over 12 years old. These shouldn't be used without supervision.

● Toys with sharp edges, glass or rigid plastic that could shatter should be avoided.

● Springs on pull toys and other playthings should be less than 10 inches long to prevent the risk of strangulation.

● Toys should not produce sound levels that can damage hearing. The noise level should be under 100 decibels. Labels on caps for cap pistols now are required to say that they must not be used indoors or closer to the ear than one foot.

● When selecting a tricycle, parents should match the child's size to the size of the tricycle. If it's too small for the child, it will be unstable. If the child is too small for it, the tricycle will be difficult to control. Low-slung tricycles with seats close to the ground and widely spaced wheels offer more stability. Avoid tricycles with sharp edges around fenders, and look for handgrips and pedals with rough surfaces that will prevent a child's hands and feet from slipping.

● Skates and skateboards can cause serious injuries if not properly used. The Consumer Products Safety Commission says that children under 13 may not have developed adequate muscular co-ordination to control skateboards properly. The commission suggests that skates be pruchased that fit the child's current shoe size. Don't buy larger sizes expecting the child to "grow" into them, or hand down skates from one child to another. Check all metal parts for sharp edges that can cause cuts or puncture wounds in a fall.

Hungry mouths abound

DERIDDER, Ia. (AP) — Wallace Nichols feeds 1.5 million hungry mouths every day. He's a cricket farmer, a business he sort of backed into 10 years ago.

"What made it so tough was the fact that no books have ever been published on cricket farming," said Nichols. "I had to learn everything the hard way, but I've worked out a system that lets me produce up to 1.5 million of these little fellows at a time."

The 60-year-old Deridder man began raising crickets to use as his own fish bait. Then, when his chirping horde began hatching faster than he could put them on a hook, he began selling his surplus to other fishermen.

Now, from his cricket farm in an old Second World War mess hall at Beauregard Parish Airport, he wholesales only to bait dealers.

Nichols raises brown crickets imported from Australia. "They are more prolific than our native blacks and are in greater demand by fishermen because fish bite them better," he said.

Crickets, he found, flourish best at 90 degrees. "At that temperature, they are ready for market within 45 to 46 days," he said.

The insects are voracious eaters. Nichols may need up to a ton of high-protein chick mash every four or five days during peak spring months. His annual feed bill is about $2,400.

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This part of the program is for students. Young Canada Works will create jobs for more than 20,000 students next summer. The emphasis will be on projects of solid community value. It has many of the same features as the year-round program, except projects will be limited to 14 weeks during the summer months.

At the same time, Young Canada Works will enable students to gain valuable work experience and test their career aspirations.

Like Canada Works, your Canada Manpower Centre will have application forms and a Young Canada Works "Guide to Applicants" early in the new year.

So, think about what your organization would like to do for students. Young Canada Works for students in your community.

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Judge upholds clause on house buy-back

PRINCE GEORGE (CP) — The B.C. Supreme Court has ruled that buy-back options in deeds for company-built homes in Mackenzie are legal.

Mr. Justice S. M. Toy ruled in Vancouver Wednesday that John Christopher Gay had to sell B.C. Forest Products a house he bought from the company in the fall of 1974.

A repurchase option in the deed required Gay, a former employee of the company, to sell the home back to the firm if he ceased employment within five years of the purchase.

The clause would also compel the company to buy back the home if the owner wished for a period of 10 years, providing the home owner was employed by the company that long.

Under the arrangement, the value of the home in the five-year buy-back period remains the original selling price plus any improvements or minus any serious damage.

Gay bought the house from B.C. Forest Products in late 1974 while working for the company. When he quit in late 1975, he wanted to keep the house and stay in Mackenzie. He now lives in Edmonton.

The company wanted to buy back the house for the original price of $35,000, although it was appraised in late 1975 at about $60,000. Bill Hibbard, Gay's lawyer, said the company offered an additional $7,000 to cover home improvements Gay valued at $14,000.

The ruling will affect homes built by several companies in the Mackenzie area, about 100 miles north of Prince George.

LeBlanc increases seal hunt quota

OTTAWA (CP) — An increased limit for the 1977 East Coast seal hunt was announced Thursday by Fisheries Minister Romeo LeBlanc, but it probably will not mean an increase in the number of seals killed.

LeBlanc announced the limit would be 170,000 harp seals for next March's hunt off Newfoundland and the Magdalen Islands in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

That is an increase of 43,000 from the quota of 127,000 for last spring's hunt, but fisheries department officials say land-based hunters killed almost 40,000 more seals this year than expected.

One sealing expert, who did not want to be named, said after a briefing for anti-hunt and conservation groups Thursday that the real kill figure in the 1976 hunt is 183,000 seals.

The 1977 season will be the first time landsmen, native hunters in the Canadian Arctic, and Greenlanders will be operating under a quota.

LeBlanc announced that Norway has agreed to reduce its catch by hunters based on ships in the ice floes to 35,000 next spring from 44,667 this spring.

The quota for Canadian hunters working from ships will rise to 62,000 from 52,333, meaning the over-all ship quota remains the same as this year at 97,000.

Soviet space show coming

VANCOUVER (CP) — A 43-ton display of space equipment, the largest ever to leave the Soviet Union, will open here March 1 at the Centennial Museum.

It is also the largest and most expensive display ever mounted at the museum.

The models and space hardware will be accompanied by Soviet technicians, guides and translators and at least one cosmonaut, although it hasn't been announced which one.

David Hurd, a planetarium staff scientist on loan to the museum to be in charge of the exhibit, said the project has taken two years of negotiations to arrange.

The 20 truckloads of Soviet technology will contain rocket engines, space suits, communications satellites and photo displays of the history of Soviet flight from pioneer aircraft to space stations.

Much of the cost of the exhibit is being borne by the Soviets, who are interested in bringing the exhibit to North America.

One highlight of the display will be a working model of the Baikanur Cosmodrome, the Soviet Union's manned launching area in the Ural Mountains.

MPs accept junkets to Taiwan

TORONTO (CP) — The Globe and Mail say five members of Parliament have accepted a free trip to Taiwan — whose government Canada does not recognize — and 10 other MPs have accepted a free trip to Israel during the next few weeks.

In an Ottawa dispatch, the newspaper quotes Robert Smylie, whose public relations firm in Toronto organizes tours for the Taiwanese government, as saying he collected five MPs for a six-day trip to Taiwan planned early in 1977.

It also says Israel is providing an eight-day trip with all expenses paid for 10 MPs, who are scheduled to arrive in Tel Aviv on Dec. 28.

The free trips, usually referred to as informational tours, occur during the holiday season when Parliament is not in session. The host countries pay the expenses of the MPs.

Ralph Stewart, Liberal member for the Ontario riding of Cochrane, is on the list to go to Taiwan, the Globe and Mail says.

The newspaper quotes Herbert Breau, Liberal MP for the New Brunswick riding of Gloucester, Aideen Nicholson, Liberal MP for Toronto-Trinity, James McGrath, Progressive Conservative MP for the Newfoundland riding of St. John's East and Lorne Nystrom, NDP member for the Saskatchewan riding of Yorkton-Melville, as saying they have accepted trips to Israel.

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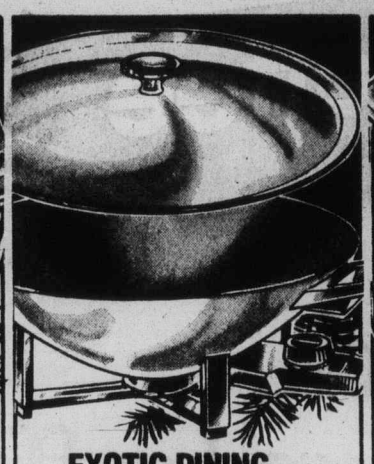

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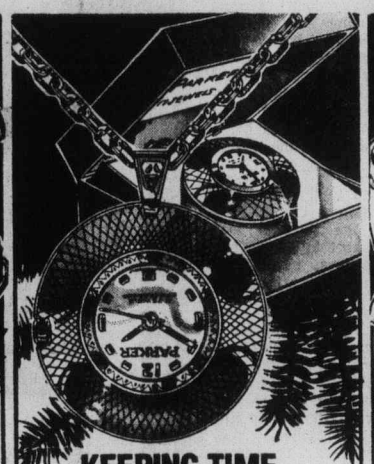

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The psychic's secret

Mind detectives prove worth — experimenter

Parapsychology has demonstrated its usefulness as a tool in solving police cases and can be of use in other disciplines as well, says the Los Angeles psychic who founded Psychic Search.

Donald Caldwell, 40, a free-lance journalist and film-maker who has been studying psychic phenomena for 30 years, said in an interview psychics can assist psychiatrists and psychologists by providing them with information about their patients that cannot be obtained by any other means.

"The psychic is one who can see along the time-space continuum that Einstein first discovered. Most people only see one frame at a time, but the psychic sees the whole strip of film, and can move it back and forth, looking into the future and past."

Caldwell, who studied mathematics and physics at the University of Washington, says several professional organizations have been set up to study parapsychological phenomena, giving the field the kind of prestige and critical examination that it has lacked.

Solid proof that psychics actually do know something the rest of us don't, Caldwell said, was the founding of Psychic Search, set up this year to make the services of psychics available to searchers and police departments. The organization has located lost hikers and aircraft, and helped police track down suspects in otherwise-clueless cases, Caldwell said.

The police detective looks for details in a person that distinguish him from other people, Caldwell said — his height, color of hair, age, or weight.

The psychic looks for similarities when he takes a watch, a lock of hair, or other sample in his hand, and searches the time-space continuum.

Psychic powers come from the ability to control the "aura," the field of mental energy that surrounds an individual, Caldwell maintains. The ability to do this does not come to everyone. It demands, above all, peace of mind and harmony with the universe, he said.

As a result, psychics are not always happy about being called in to cover police cases. The experience often forces them to re-create in their minds events involving brutality or perversion, and sometimes they go through the sensations that the person they are seeking has experienced.

On a case which Caldwell was investigating, the sensation of being strangled and stabbed, as the victim had been, was so real that he experienced severe choking when he entered the victims apartment, he said.

But the aim of studying psychic phenomena is not so much to be privy to the future or the past as to make full use of the subconscious, which Caldwell says is actually superior to the conscious mind.

"We all experience this to a certain extent when we dream," he said.

The subconscious mind is not so much instincts or behaviors which are repressed as it is the creative, intuitive mind. "All of the real achievements in western technology and science were caused by people who were thinking with their subconscious mind," he said.

The way to free the subconscious mind was through meditation and other mental exercises.

He will be giving a lecture and slide presentation on his ideas on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. in Holyrood House, 2315 Blanshard.

Bluetongue virtually wiped out

RED DEER (CP) — Blue Tongue disease is effectively under control in Canada, says Dr. Howard Young of the federal agriculture department's health of animals branch.

Young, speaking to about 300 members of the Alberta Hereford Association this week, said 23,000 cattle in an area 50 miles from the United States border had been tested and no reactors had been found.

In addition, all but two herds had been tested and 1,400 reactors slaughtered in the B.C. interior where the disease broke out.

Lost pilot home safe

EDMONTON (CP) — The search for a light aircraft missing since Tuesday ended Wednesday afternoon when its pilot walked into an RCMP office at Dawson Creek to report he had crash landed.

Capt. Craig Mills, a Canadian Forces spokesman, said Richard Keith Dempsey, 25, of Edmonton, was not injured in the crash of his single-engine Cessna 180 — owned by Airmart Sales Ltd. of St. Albert, Alta. — 25 miles southeast of Dawson Creek.

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Boeing throws giant employee party

SEATTLE (CP) — The Boeing Co. is throwing its first Christmas party since 1969, a bash for 100,000 or more persons at the Kingdome.

All 45,300 employees and their families are invited Sunday for what actually will be two 90-minute parties, one starting at 1 p.m. and the other at 7 p.m.

"The Kingdome is a nice, large facility for us," a spokesman said, "and our improved business atmosphere gives us added incentive to resume what was as established event."

Boeing will spend $8,000 in rent for the shindig, featuring performances by a high school band and a vocal ensemble as well as "a grand parade with Santa Claus, giant animal balloons, animal and aerial circus acts and clowns," the spokesman added.

The giant aerospace company recently announced that commercial airplane orders had picked up enough that up to 4,500 persons may be added to the work force next year.

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Design flaws blamed for most recalls

DETROIT (AP) — Design flaws were responsible for about two-thirds of the 52 million cars and trucks recalled during the last 10 years to correct safety defects, federal safety officials say.

In just the last six weeks, General Motors Corp. and Ford Motor Co. have recalled 770,000 vehicles to correct such proglems as faulty fuel lines, ill-fitting fuel tank caps, weak steering attachment washers, defective shoulder belts and malfunctioning signal lights.

But the Big Three U.S. automakers that include Chrysler Corp. disagree with the federal assessment, contending there is no predominant cause of defects that result in recalling vehicles.

"I don't know how you can simply assess whose fault it is," said a GM spokesman. "It's unfortunate when a safety defect arises, but rest assured, if we find a defect, we move quickly to correct it."

But Andrew Detrick, Director of the Office of Defects Investigation for the National Highway Transportation Safety Administration in Washington, says causes can be determined. Gilbert L. Watson, chief of consumer affairs for NHTSA, agrees.

"We have isolated the causes into two areas, design and quality control," Detrick says. "Quality control includes workmanship, quality of materials and failure to catch errors in inspection.

"Our studies have shown that about two-thirds of the more than 2,000 recall campaigns have been due to quality control, but that two-thirds of the faulty vehicles recalled have been due to design flaws.

"If you make an error in design, you've probably made a monumental error in numbers of vehicles. It could run through a whole model year, maybe two years. By the same token, the quality control people have their own audits and are constantly picking up their errors after a relatively few vehicles have been produced."

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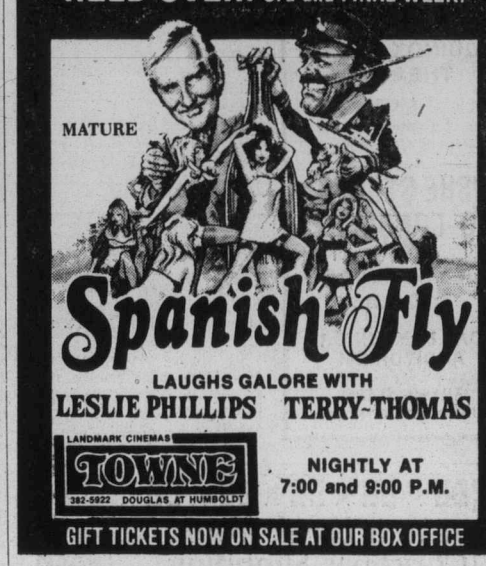

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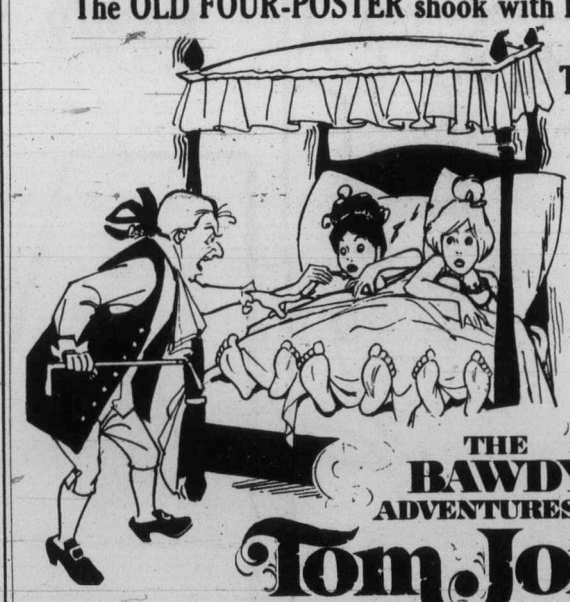

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'Missing' means dead

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Americans missing in action in the Vietnam war are dead and thei families should expect only limited account of their fates, a special house committee said in its final report this week.

The house select committee on missing persons in Southeast Asia said 751 American servicemen remained listed as prisoners of war or missing in action.

"The sad conclusion is that there is no evidence to indicate that any of these missing Americans are still alive," said the report presented by chairman Rep. G. V. Montgomery, Mississippi Democrat.

Carol Bates of the National League Families of American Prisoners and Missing in Southeast Asia promptly called the committee's staff "inept" and "incompetent" and said it had depended on incomplete information from federal intelligence agencies and the departments of state and defence.

"Sitting in his office in Washington, or playing golf in Meridian, Miss., Sonny Montgomery does not know if these servicemen are dead or alive," she said.

She called it "insensitive" to release the report just before Christmas.

The report summarized: "More than 2,500 Americans were not fully accounted for . . . At the end of direct American involvement, 1,100 of these were listed as killed in action, body not recovered, and 1,400 were listed as missing in action. Today, more than 750 men are still listed as MIA or POW"—728 as missing and 33 as prisoners.

But nothing has emerged to show other than they are dead, the committee concluded.

Veteran PQ official 'nervous'

MONTREAL (CP) — A veteran Parti Quebecois organizer told an audience in the predominantly English-speaking suburb of Westmount this week that the new PQ government was moving too fast for even his taste.

"I am a little nervous as I didn't expect things to move that fast," said Gilles Santerre, an executive of the PQ constituency association in Montreal's St. Louis riding for the last nine years.

He referred to the haste with which the PQ government announced an increase in the minimum wage to $3 an hour "without fear of economic effects," plans to develop the area around Montreal's new Mirabel airport, increased family allowances, a no-fault automobile insurance plan, help for small—and medium-sized businesses and free dental care for children up to age 18.

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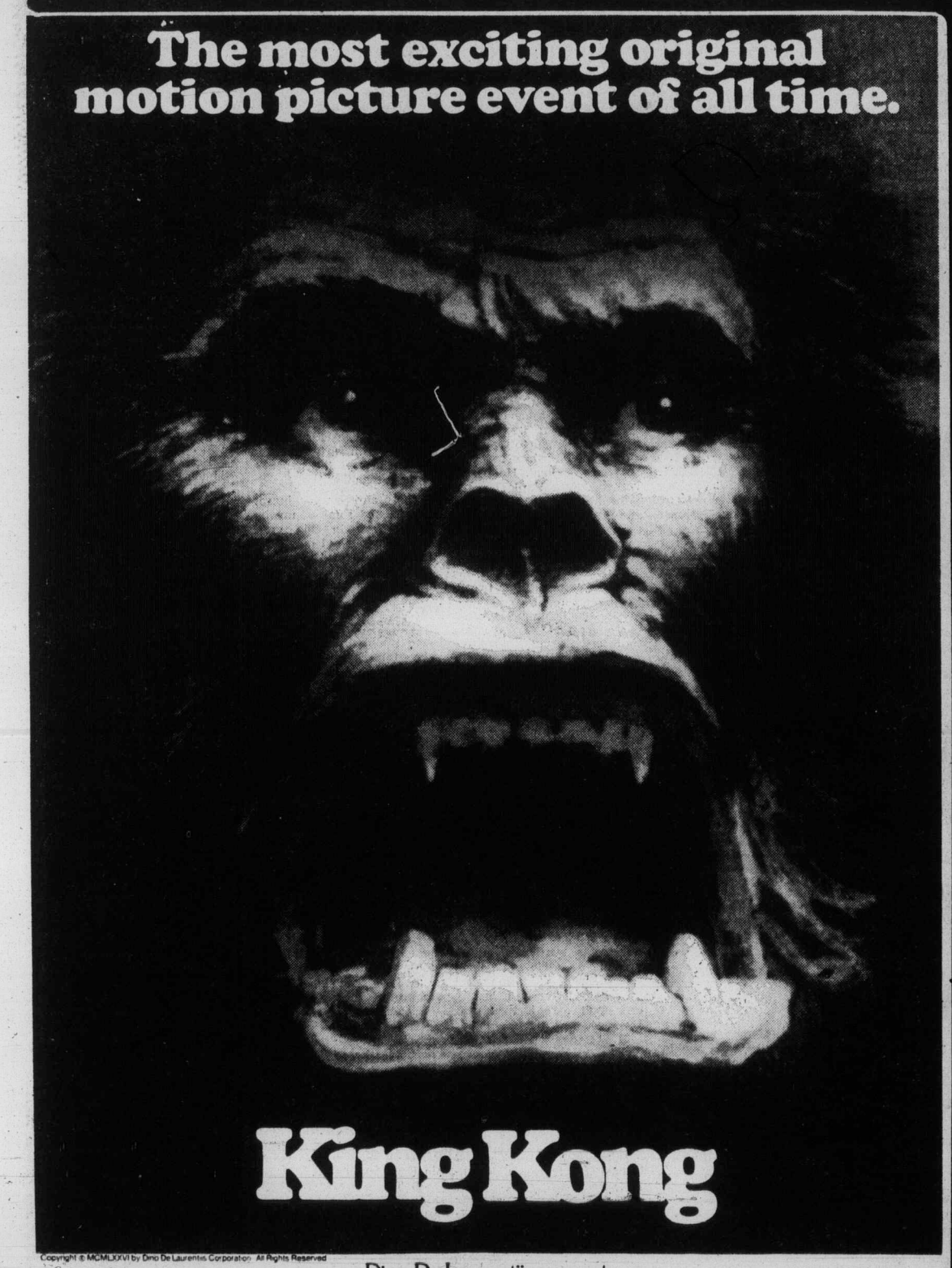

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M. V. Chesnut's Garden Notes

For several days now we have been kicking around the problem of what to buy as a Christmas gift for some friend or relative who happens to have gone overborad on this hobby of gardening.

While I have made a number of suggestions in recent columns, I would be the first to admit that it isn't easy to find a present which will really ring the bell.

An easy "out" is a gift certificate for plants or seeds, but such a gift seems to lack warmth; the eye doesn't light up when you find a gift certificate under the Christmas tree as it does when there is a real physical object to unwrap.

As I have already mentioned, I don't think one can go very far wrong in buying a garden book of some kind for your hoe-happy friend or relative. Chosen with a modicum of intelligence, a book is sure to be read through once anyway, then dipped into and consulted time after time for years to come.

So far in this series on Christmas gifts for gardeners, all the books I have mentioned were written either in the United States or Great Britain, and as such, are generalized, designed to be used in all the varying temperate climates of North America and Europe.

Such broadly based information is useful, but should be supplemented with books written specifically for the Pacific Northwest, touching on the problems brought about by our particular climatic conditions.

One book which is especially timely in these days of high prices and food shortages is Gardening for Food, by W. G. Smith and published by Scribners.

This book contains many original ideas, for the author, who does his gardening in Victoria, believes that almost two-thirds of one adult's total food requirements can be grown in a backyard plot of 1,000 square feet.

He has a commonsense opinion on the use of commercial fertilizers although he believes, as I do, that it should go hand in hand with the application of bulky organic matter — manure, compost and other organic wastes.

He thinks the average backyard gardener does far too much unnesessary digging and cultivating, and suggests a system for getting more food with less work.

A book written specifically for the coastal region of British Columbia is The Pacific Gardener, by A. R. Willis and published by Gray's Publishing Ltd. of Sidney, B.C.

Willis was for many years a professional nurseryman on Vancouver Island, with a wide experience in growing plants under our coastal climatic conditions. The book covers everything from vegetables and fruit to home landscaping and from lawn care to native evergreens.

The Pacific Gardener is printed on much heavier paper than the average book, and in its modern ring binding, it opens up and lies flat as you read it, which I find a great convenience.

Another local book which should be a most welcome Christmas gift is Trees, Shrubs and Flowers to Know in British Columbia, by C. P. Lyons and published by J. M. Dent and Sons.

This is by far the most useful guide I have run across for identifying wild plants sent to me for naming.

I am not very good at identifying the plants of the wild — the backyard garden is more my cup of tea — but with the help of Lyons' well-organized book, I can usually pin a name on any specimen sent in, always providing it reaches me in a recognizable condition.

Many parcels arrive containing nothing but a mass of smelly mush, having rotted in transit through being sealed in plastic.

Another fine book written especially for our coastal climate is The Pacific Bulb Gardener by Rosemary Owen. Before retiring to New Zealand, Mrs. Owen and her husband, Gwyn Owen, had more than 18 years experience growing bulbs commercially on the Saanich peninsula, specializing in new, rare and hard-to-get kinds.

The book is a sheer delight to read, over and beyond the technical information it contains, radiating in every word the affection Mrs. Owen has for her bulbs, especially the little bulbs. It opens up new horizons for the use of bulbs in the garden, and in guidance it is singularly complete — much more so than the average bulb book. In her chapter on crocuses, for instance, Mrs. Owen describes no fewer than 22 different kinds.

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — You're not going to believe this but things have gotten so exciting in Washington during the transition period that people are actually arguing whether Jimmy Carter should carry his own luggage or not.

It all started when Betty Beale, a columnist from the Washington Star, attacked Carter in print for doing something so "un-presidential" as carrying his own bags. She wrote that it gave the presidency a bad image. Then she went on to complain about Carter refusing to wear formal attire on Inauguration Day. Betty, I must tell you, is a stickler for protocol, but Washington being Washington, she did open up a can of beans, and the town is now divided between those who believe a president should carry his own suitcase and those who believe he shouldn't.

I must admit I sided with the pro-Carter-luggage-carrier people on the theory that it shows the man who has his finger on the button is not too big to also have his hand on his own Samsonite.

Miss Beale wrote that Carter was just showing off and that he wanted to look like a man of the people by lugging his bags all around town. But I believe the president-elect is sincere when he picks up his baggage every time he makes a move.

Before Carter was elected president he had to travel on commercial airlines to every part of this land. He hardly had any staff. Until Theodore White's book, The Making of the President 1976, comes out, we will have no idea how many times Carter lost his luggage during the campaign.

But I'm willing to bet it was more than once. After traveling on airlines a person develops a phobia about his baggage getting lost, and the more one flies the bigger the fear gets. I sincerely believe Carter is suffering from a lost baggage phobia, which is not only natural but is justified based on the experience of most air travelers.

I prefer to believe that the first thing Carter decided was that if he became president of the United States he would never let anyone else touch a bag of his again. It was a tough decision but it was the right one. And I do not believe it demeans the presidency to see the Commander-in-Chief walking along Pennsylvania Avenue with a two-suiter in one hand and the papers of state in the other.

The anti-Carter luggage people, and some of my best friends are in this group, maintain it is not only undignified for a head of state to carry his own bags but is counterproductive. If Carter is sincere about putting people back to work, he is taking a job away from somebody who would ordinarily be assigned to carry his bags.

It isn't just the president's luggage they're worried about, these people say, but Americans tend to follow their leaders and, if they see the president of the United States carrying his bag, they will decide it's all right for them to carry their own luggage and thousands of porters will go jobless.

They also point out that when people see a president carrying his own bag they tend to wonder what he's hiding in it, and this gets everyone very nervous.

Betty Beale says all Carter is carrying round are the blue jeans he expects to wear to the inauguration—but we have only her word for his, and we must remember that the last person Carter would let peek into his suitcase would be Betty Beale.

So now you know what's going on in Washington this week. I know it's strong stuff just before Christmas, but I believe the people have a right to know what is going on in Washington at all times. Sorry, Walter, but that's the way it is.

Jack Smith

Little Things That Irritate Me in a Big Way;

● Buildings with street addresses so dirty or obscured that they can't be seen at night without getting out of your car, or mounting the steps.

● Films about ferocious apes or gorillas, who are in fact far more gentle than members of the human species toward each other.

● Jokes told with a presumably foreign accent, which consist of one part humor to 10 parts of provincial prejudice.

● Police who run roughshod over civil liberties, and then claim every amendment in the Constitution if they are caught cutting corners.

● Public restaurants where the waitresses gather around a table to chant Happy Birthday to some guest they have never seen before, and don't care if they ever see again.

● Lotteries which glamorize the possibility of winning a large prize without at the same time disclosing the appalling odds.

● Cigaret brand names like Merit and Vantage which obliquely suggest that smoking them confers some benefit instead if betraying a lamentable weakness.

● Audiences at boxing matches who scream for bloodshed and broken bones. (The contestants themselves are usually united in a warm mutual bond of detestation for these sadistic spectators.)

● Loan companies that try to project a hearty image of "friendliness."

● Restaurants that flagrantly raise their prices across-the-board when only a few of their items have gone up in cost to them.

● Those self-styled "editorials" on TV stations, which sound as if they had been composed by a 17-year-old who had taken courses but not in English.

● The sententious smugness of people who reach 90 or 100, and their silly recipes (often contradictory) for achieving longevity, instead of simply shrugging it off as "lucky genes."

● The bland superiority that cat-lovers feel over dog-lovers. (Admitting, as I do, that cats are in many ways superior creatures to dogs.)

● Columnists who nudge their readers to remember that "you read it here first," when no one cares where he read it, and will have forgotten it by tomorrow.

● Boosters who refer to their little patch of earth as "God's country," implying that the Devil has staked out a claim to everything outside the county limits.

James Bacon's Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD — **George Caroll**, the Toluca Lake hair stylist, had a lady customer the other day who told him that she hoped the new senator from California would do as good a job as **Ronald Reagan** as governor.

"It just proves that actors are just as good at politics as politicians," the lady said. George explained that **S. I. Hayakawa** was not an actor but a former professor of semantics and a college president.

"Nonsense," she said, "I have been a fan of his for years. He was wonderful in The Bridge on the River Kwai."

George feels that U.S. Sen. Hayakawa may get a lot of movie fan mail for **Sessue Hayakawa.**

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Harriet Nelson, who returned to acting a year after the death of **Ozzie**, portrays a thoroughly nasty hypochondriac in the current NBC-TV mini-series Once an Eagle.

She admits it's the kind of role she wanted to play for some time.

"It's not that I disliked my role as the sweetest and most understanding wife and mother in the world on our TV series," says Harriet. "But I certainly got a bit tired of doing everything exactly right. I'm surprised they didn't ask me to take over the White House, I was so perfect."

Her performance in Once An Eagle drew the supreme accolade from the crew — applause on the set.

"It was wonderful to hear. I never heard that from Ozzie, Rick or David. They just took me for granted — like I was a member of the family."

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Comedy writer **Stanley Davis** says: "I run my house like a ship. I'm the captain but how in hell did I know I was going to marry an admiral?"

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1 BIRTHS

CARMAN — Born to Barry and Betty (nee Perrigo), a boy, Craig Wesley, 8 lbs. 7 oz., on November 29th, 1976. Many thanks to Dr. Murray G. Morrison and Caseroom staff at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

CHURCHES — Karl Rebecca greeted the world and the Holiday Season with a loud hearty Hallelujah. The dual conductors whom we owe our thanks were Dr. Farmer, Dr. Doerffer and the maternity staff at Royal Jubilee Hospital, December 15, 1976 at 8 lbs. 3 ozs.

COLEMAN — Born to Wayne and Gwen Coleman (nee Jones), a baby son, Clint Robert, 8 lbs. 3½ ozs., on December 7th, 1976. A Christmas surprise for his two sisters, Coreena and Sandra. First grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones (Victoria) and first great-grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Tom Whittaker also of Victoria. A very special thanks to Dr. Brian Pounl and Dr. J. Graham-Marrr!!! (Insured)

EWER — Born to Frank and Eileen, a baby boy, Calvin John, 9 lbs. 6 ozs. on December 10, 1976, many thanks to Drs. Pillard and Dickson and staff at Victoria General (Insured).

RUTHERFORD — Born to Dave and Lynn (nee Hawthorne) on December 8th, 1976 at Victoria General, a second son, Colin David. A brother for Devon. Thanks to Dr. J. L. Campbell and wonderful maternity staff and especially daddy.

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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
SUN., DEC. 19, 7 P.M.
852 MASON ST.
The Agenda will include:
—Upcoming Functions
—1977 Events
—Membership Fees
All Members are Requested to Attend

SOUTH VAN ISLE LIONS BINGO
Fri., Dec. 17 — 7:30 p.m.
1600 Government St.
O.A.P. HALL
$1 for first card
25c card or 6 cards for $2
Early Bird Bingo, 7 p.m.
25c card or 5 cards for $1.

ATHLETIC BINGO
WEDNESDAY
Quadra Rec. Centre
386-0723

SONS OF NORWAY
1110 HILLSIDE
Have their Carol Night, Sunday, December 19, 7:30 p.m. Norwegian and English carols with circle around the Christmas tree. There will be Norwegian refreshments after. Members and friends.

Children's Christmas tree party, December 27, 2 p.m.

FLEA MARKET
SANSCHA HALL, SIDNEY
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ADMISSION 25c
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December 23, 7:30 p.m.
SCIENCE OF MIND CENTER
3410 Shelbourne at Derby
Your Personal Dedication to Life Principles
CAROLS, CHRISTMAS MUSIC
All are Welcome

MRS. SHIRLEY BARRETT will open
N.D.P. TEA AND BAZAAR
Sat. Dec. 18, 2:30-4:30 P.M.
Dominion Hall 802 Esquimalt Rd.,
Home baking, gifts, white Elephant Sale

ESQUIMALT N.D.P. FUN NIGHT
Sat. Dec. 18, 7:30 P.M.
Dominion Hall
802 Esquimalt Rd.
Dancing, refreshments, games.
Free admission.

PROSPECT LAKE
Christmas Bingo. Hams, Turkeys and cash. Saturday Dec. 18 8:00 p.m. Prospect Lake Community Hall.

MYSTERY TOURS
Leaves V.I. Coach Lines depot every Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Return 5 p.m. $4.50 includes tea. 385-4411.

20 LOST and FOUND

REWARD
For return of black and white female cat with build and temperament of Siamese. "Mewsette" was lost Dec. 8th, in Fairfield. May be trying to get home to Sooke. Greatly loved member of family. Please call 642-5064 or 598-7244.

LOST: BLACK FEMALE CAT with white bib and paws, grey tabby face and incision on tummy with stitches. Last seen Atkins Avenue area. Reward offered. 478-6315.

LOST: LARGE MALE TABBY, black and white markings, small scar on right ear, Bay Street area. Reward. 384-5282.

LOST IN VIEW ROYAL AREA, black and white shaggy puppy, shaved stomach, collar with bell. Reward. 479-9794 or 385-5446.

LOST: MALE CHOCOLATE brown lab, Thetis Lake vicinity. $20 reward for return. Phone 479-2849 or 479-6438.

LOST MALE BLACK LAB, 5 years old, answers to Jeff, reward. Brentwood and Prospect Lake. 652-3397.

LOST: PEARL NECKLACE MAYfair, Sears, sentimental value, reward. 656-5737.

FOUND: ORANGE KITTEN, Weirs Beach area. Phone 478-3786.

LOST: LADIES' OMEGA WATCH, Bay store area, reward; 477-7052.

LOST MALE BLUE POINT SIAmese, 16 years old, name Ceasar. From Craigflower Motel. Mrs. Ford. 388-7861.

LOST: SILVER CHARM BRACElet, James Bay area. Please call 385-7586, 388-7822. Marilyn.

LOST: GOLD WATCH, ENgraved "Helen, love Jim", Reward. Phone 477-5862.

LOST NUMBER 6 IRON WILSON 1200, December 14th Cedar Hill area. Reward .598-4238.

LOST — GREY TABBY CAT, "Kasha" neutered male. South Turner. 382-1963.

LOST: 1 WHITE FEMALE AFGHan in Brentwood Bay area. Please call 652-1824.

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Residential construction company requires a clerk-buyer for its permanent office staff. The successful applicant will, with the assistance of a part-time clerk, be responsible for all routine office functions, administrative control of Real Estate transactions, purchasing of construction materials and — in co-operation with the Construction Manager — write and co-ordinate the execution of contracts with sub-contractors. Construction office experience is a pre-requisite for this position. Apply stating experience, expected salary and other pertinent data to:
P.O. Box 5297, Station B,
Victoria, B.C.

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Students to Sell
VICTORIA TIMES
Daily in downtown area 3:30 to 5:30. Guaranteed profit. Please phone Mr. Bernie Maior between and 5 p.m. 382-3131 local 297.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE CLERK
Building supply company requires well-organized self-motivating accounts payable clerk. The successful applicant will have experience in an accounts payable position, preferably in building supplies and be capable of handling a large volume of work. Please forward personal resume to Victoria Press Box 48.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY FOR permanent position full time cook, 10:00-6:00 p.m. and relief cook 2 days per week. Convenient kitchen, pleasant working conditions. Float nurses aide wanted permanent position, 2 evenings. 3:30-12 midnight and 2 nights, 12-8 a.m. per week, plus stat. holidays. Phone after 6:00 p.m. 598-2465.

MEAT CUTTER
PORT ALBERNI
Meat cutter wanted for new 5,000 sq. ft. Food Market in Port Alberni. $1,300 per month plus profit sharing. Phone 724-3831 or write Beaver Creek Market, P.O. Box 1269, Port Alberni, B.C.

REQUIRED IMMEDIATELY FOR new apartment building, adult oriented, no pets, no children, mature couple to live in permanent position. Duties include maintenance and general cleaning, references required, for further information phone 383-4541 between 9-5 Monday-Friday.

LIVE-IN HOMEMAKERS
Opportunities for semi-retired ladies to help their local communities. Your experience needed by HEALTH CARE SERVICES UP-JOHN LIMITED. Call us at 386-6639 Monday - Friday, 9-4:30.

DESK CLERK FOR DOWNTOWN motor inn. Should be neat, efficient and relate well with public. Shift work involved. Experience preferred, but will train suitable applicant. Apply Victoria Press, Box 40.

WANTED HANDYMAN FOR apartment complex, must have knowledge of carpentry, plumbing, electrical repairs. Fee for service basis, must have own transportation. Reply Victoria Press Box 54.

LOOKING FOR SOME SHARP, ambitious, outgoing men and women to round out our sales staff. Must be bondable and have a car. Excellent reward for those who are willing to work at least 8 honest hours a day. 474-1288.

RESIDENT MANAGER-CARETaker, 34-suite modern block, semi-retired couple preferred, handyperson in maintenance, cleaning, gardening, renting. References, experience. Victoria Press Box 17.

FREE FOR NEW YEARS EVE? Attractive young people wanted to sell flowers and take pictures in cabarets on this night, excellent wages, own transportation. Lori's Flowers and Photos. 385-8385.

NEED CHRISTMAS MONEY?
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West led the heart jack and East (Henry Francis of Memphis) had to consider what to play at trick one He concluded that if he took a top heart, it would effectively end the defense since East had no other entries to run the suit So he found the excellent play of a duck, and encouraged with the seven of hearts instead

Declarer was in a similar position If he took the heart queen, there weren't enough tricks without establishing diamonds And if he did that, then West would take the diamond ace and East would take five established hearts So declarer did the same as did East -- he refused the first trick also

West continued with another heart and this time there was no reason to duck East cashed his high hearts and West took his ace of diamonds and declarer had his nine tricks for his "adventuresome game

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NORTH 12-11-A
♠ A Q
♥ 8
♦ K J 9 7 4
♣ A K J 4 3

WEST
♠ K 8 4 3 2
♥ J 9
♦ A 10 5 3
♣ 8 6

EAST
♠ J 10 6
♥ A K 10 7 6 5
♦ 8 6
♣ 10 7

SOUTH
♠ 9 7 5
♥ Q 4 3 2
♦ Q 2
♣ Q 9 5 2

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West	North	East	South
Pass	1♦	2♥	Pass
Pass	3♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: Heart jack

Bid With Corn

South holds 12-11-B
♠ A Q
♥ 8
♦ K J 9 7 4
♣ A K J 4 3

South	North
1♦	1♠
?	

Answer: Three clubs A hair light for the jump shift but the promoted value of the good spade honors make the hand worth a force to game

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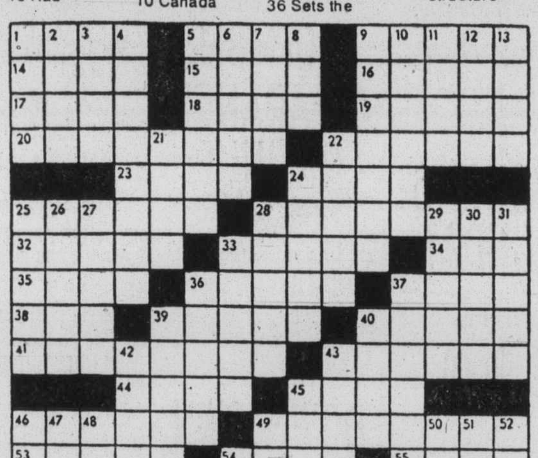

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LARGE TWO-BEDROOM APARTment in older home to share with female only. 652-3552, after 5.

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2-BEDROOM SIDE-BY-SIDE DUplex, Langford. $235. No pets. 478-5241.

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OFF HWY. AT FRAYNE ROAD,
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—3 bedrooms, 1 en suite.
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OPEN SAT. and SUN.
1:30-4 P.M.
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FERNWOOD PANDORA
OLDIE BUT GOODIE
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Two, possibly three bedrooms on main, large kitchen and dining room with fireplace. Roof, gutters, hot water, replumbed, rewired, painted, 2 years ago. Full basement. Owner says sell, open to offers. MLS 21588
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GORGE TUDOR $63,000
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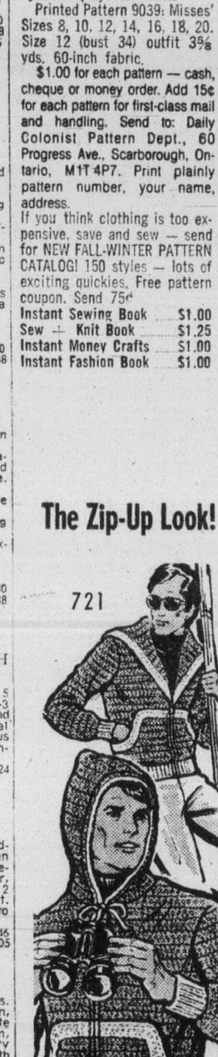

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OPEN HOUSE
SAT and SUN 1:30-4
1757 ELGIN RD.—OAK BAY
Situated on a large 75x128 lot, this no-step bungalow is ready for you to move into. Lovely large living room with F.P., $56,900. MLS. View at any time with RUTH or BEN BENNETT 592-6257, 595-5131

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4
3189 AYTON PLACE (Glen Lake)
Beautifully constructed 3 bedroom home with full high R.I. basement. 1½ bathrooms. 2 fireplaces. Master crafted kitchen cabinets. Lot 60x177.9. Immediate possession $61,000. MLS View at any time with RUTH or BEN BENNETT 595-6257, 595-5131.

COUNTRY AIR
IN METCHOSIN
Spotless 4 year old three bedroom home with immediate possession. Nicely fenced in lot. The high basement has finished rec. room, family room, and almost finished bedroom. R.I. Bathroom. 1½ bathrooms on main. $61,900. View at any time with RUTH or BEN BENNETT 592-6257, 595-5131

BUTCHART GARDEN AREA
Nicely constructed 3 bedroom home with lovely panelled den and rec. room in basement. 1½ bathrooms on main. Very pleasant. Large living room with F.P., $65,900. MLS. View at any time with RUTH or BEN BENNETT 592-6257, 595-5131.

3283 SEATON
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ON A PARK
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2656 CEDAR HILL ROAD
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1 TO 4:30 P.M.

This older house tastefully remodelled and updated is a fine starter home for young people or for retired people, close to bus and shopping. The lot is quite large with some fruit trees. Possession could be in ten days. $48,700. For preview call MRS. HARTT 385-3435 anytime.

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386-7545

OPEN HOUSE 2835 Aldwynd 1:30 to 4 SAT. ASK — $49,950

Ideal 3-bedroom retirement or starter home. Immaculate condition. Located on large semi-secluded lot. Low Taxes. Clear Title. Howard Mitchel — 479-4818, 386-7545.

MUST SELL THIS WEEK
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OPEN HOUSES
DAILY 1:30-4:30
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This superior home has been looked after by a house-proud owner. It consists of an attractive living room with picture window and open fireplace. Dining room with glass door onto large sundeck. Kitchen with view window over back garden and all appliances are included. Two bedrooms and bathroom on main floor. Downstairs to an additional bedroom, 2-pce. bath, laundry room and roughed-in rec. room. A lovely landscaped garden and this house is priced at $75,500. For prior appointments please call 592-2407.

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This immaculate 7-year-old home on ½ acre lot leaves little to be desired.
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—Plenty of cupboards plus eating area.
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—Double carport and shake roof.
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Walk to Town Dandy Family Home

Eight rooms—5 on the main floor and three in the basement. All rooms are large. Two bathrooms. Suit large family. Lot could some day become quite valuable. Just listed. Be the first to see and compare. Price $55,000. Don Bacon 385-2458.

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Two storey building on small lot close to town. Needs repairs. $39,000. New listing. Call Don Bacon 385-2458.

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479-1667

OPEN HOUSE 2256 FROST AVE.
(OFF LOCHSIDE)
Sat. 1:30-4 p.m.

Tudor-style 6-year-old, lovely home one block from ocean. 3 beds., 4-pce. bath, L.R. and D.R. in line with fireplace and W.W. carpet. Well planned kitchen with double sinks and eating area. Finished basement with fireplace in rec. room. Large, well-fenced landscaped lot with tall trees and barbecue area. Garden shed and drive-in garage. $74,900. MLS.
479-1667 Joan Hopper 652-3103
3850 EPSOM DRIVE

OPEN HOUSE 1911 CHAMBERS Fri. Sat. 1:30-4:30 $45,000

There's still some good ones on the market at a believable price. This home is solid, has 2 bedrooms, living room with fireplace, large kitchen, full basement, nice yard and garage. For prior appointment call 479-1667 (anytime) or 595-2154.
I. G. LIDSTONE

Builder? Handyman?
3850 EPSOM DRIVE

Good opportunity with this large lot that has a potential lot and a 4-BR. home with 2 kitchens and 2 baths. Asking $87,500.
479-1667 Brian Brown 386-1234
479-1667 Cathy Atkins 479-5427

Gordon Head (OFF FERNDALE) $107,500

Delightful, spacious, 4 level split 2-yr.-old home — close to Bus line, beach and schools. Entertainment size LR (FP) and DR — Breakfast room off Kitchen-Family room (17'6x14'10") with FP — 3 BR's plus office in guest room — 3 baths—Huge Tudor Rec Rm—easy care 10,000 sq. ft. lot—quiet, nothrough road. A "must-see" for your Christmas list.
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ESQUIMALT VACANT POSSESSION $49,500 LOW DN.

On this 2 bedroom, full basement home, an excellent thru-hall floor plan. Living room with fireplace, dining room, spacious kitchen, beautiful lot, near the Recreation Centre. Call quickly on this one, Grant MacFarlane, 386-3585, res. 479-8528. MLS.

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2-year-old, beautifully finished 3-bedroom home, with a spacious den or office with slate fireplace, large partially-finished rec. room, separate double garage, bigger than average landscaped lot with extra parking for camper or boat. Electric heat, blasted rock heatilator fireplace. Reduced from $67,900 to $63,900. Make an offer. Vendor will help with financing. MLS. Jack Lidstone, 386-3585, Res. 477-9262.

VIEW ANYTIME

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Montreal Trust

OPEN HOUSE Everyday 1:30-4:00 1014 St. Patrick

Large character home, 4 B.R.s, din. room, modern kitchen, much more, only $75,900.
JEANNE or MURRAY LUCAS
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OAK BAY $89,500

Lovely character home. This truly charming home was built in the old gracious tradition, with large elegant living room and dining room plus 4 BRs on the second floor. The kitchen has been most attractively modernized and has a spacious breakfast nook with casement windows that catch the morning sun. For the family that appreciates the fine aspects of living and needs a good residential location, which is also within walking distance of shops, transportation and all schools. For more info or to view:
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595-2961 477-4641 479-7161

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

This excellent 3-5 bedroom home in sunny Sidney must be sold, vendors transferred. It offers spacious living and dining room with fireplace. Family kitchen and 3 bedrooms on main floor. Professionally finished full basement has recreation room, 2 bedrooms or 1 bedroom and den plus 2-pce. bath. $58,800. MLS. Drive by 2018 Courser Drive and then call
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DON'T MISS THIS!

Beautiful 3-bedroom home in excellent condition. L-shaped living and dining room, spacious kitchen 5-pce. bath on main floor. Family room and 2-pce. bath down. 2 fireplaces. Stiuted on over ¾ of an acre, treed and landscaped lot. Double carport. Close to ferry terminal and marinas. Vendor transferred—offers invited. Price $74,900. MLS 2115. Drive by 2030 Lands End Road and then call
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477-7161 OFF. RES. 656-5325

MAKE IT EASY ON YOURSELF

This lovely 2 bedroom, 2 level townhouse offers ideal accommodation at the affordable price of $41,900. Wall-to-wall throughout. 1½ bath and easy care private garden or patio area. Fridge, stove and drapes included. Immediate possession and offers invited. Located in sunny Sidney. MLS, 30812. Call
IRMA KULIGOWSKI
477-7161 OFF. RES. 656-5325

OAK BAY $85,900

Attractive home in an attractive area (1½ blocks off Lansdowne). Three bedrooms, 4-pce. bath on the main floor. Large rec room and 2-pct. bath in the full, high basement. 10x12 dining room plus eating area off ktichen. This is a fine family home that's convenient to schools, shopping and transportation. Separate garage. Quiet nothrough street. Take time to see it today.
R. O. (BOB) HUGHES
595-2961 OFF. RES. 592-2128

IN THE MID FIFTYS

If this is your price range, here's a spotless home you should see. Located in the Lakehill area, just off high Quadra. Two bedrooms on the main and an extra one down. There's a fireplace in the spacious 13x17 living room and also one in the tastefully decorated rumpus room. ML 20819. $57,500. See it today and compare.
R. O. (BOB) HUGHES
595-2961 OFF. RES. 592-2128

OPEN HOUSE SAT. 1:30-4:00 1920 STANLEY

Possible revenue property. With very little alteration this 2-bedroom on the main and already one-bedroom with possible second on the lower level which has a 9 ft. ceiling, bathroom and includes it's own private entrance. There is also a separate 12x20 ft. garage, nicely landscaped easy care lot in front with fruit trees and garden area in backyard. Call
LARRY LINEHAM
595-2961 OFF. RES. 595-0134

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OPEN HOUSE 1729 Foul Bay Road Sat., Dec. 18 2:00 to 4:00

This 2-bdrm., part basement bungalow has been well cared for by the present owner. The condition of the exterior is obvious when you view it; let me show you the interior as well. Located in a changing area of Oak Bay. It is offered at $47,500.
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or 385-8771 (anytime)

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A Tudor-Style building in a prime residential area is now zoned studio-residential. The building is a one floor plan plus 3,000 square feet, gross floor area on a double lot of approximately 14,400 square feet. It may have a use as a medical-dental building, subject to a re-zoning application being approved.
Asking $175,000
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So call me and wish me a Merry Xmas or we could go through this 3-bedrm, full-bsmt home in the Simpsons-Sears area. And then discuss how to finance it on terms to suit you. $44,500. MLS 20327.
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This home will keep you busy over the winter months. But with some TLC you can turn this 3-bedrm home in a good location into a cozy nest. $39,900. MLS.
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As the owners are ANXIOUS to sell this well-priced, 2-bedrm, character home in the Jubilee area, reduced to only $47,900. The wiring, plumbing, hot water tank and furnace are just one year new. Take time out to see this GOOD valued home. MLS 19737.
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THE NIGHT
BEFORE
CHRISTMAS!

All the children were SAD.
A fireplace and chimney they wanted so bad.
So Santa could bring lots of presents to them
Without a fireplace he could NOT GET IN!
A fireplace we have, and extras too
Four bedrms, two bathrms and family room for you
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FRIDAY
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(Off Feltham)
Cape Cod style, 4-5 bedroom family home. Corner stone fireplace. 4-pce main and 4-pce. ensuite baths. Excellent value at only $64,900.
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$49,500

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Side by side duplex fronting on 2 streets. 2 bedrooms each side, attached garages. 50'x133' lot. Asking $69,000. New MLS.
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4 BEDROOMS

Where the trees are tall and the air is clean, this comfortable home features large LR with FP and huge picture window. 15'x9' DR adjoins kitchen with its own eating nook. 2 large bedrooms on the main and 2 more down. 39'x12' unobstructed area in full basement for rec room development. New carport and concrete driveway. House is 80' from the road. Property backs onto forested area. Sale priced one week only—regular $53,500 MLS 20838.
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YOUR CHRISTMAS
PRESENT
TO YOUR FAMILY
It could be this sunny home and acreage in North Saanich. It's 5 yrs. old, a real family home with full basement, near Golf, fishing and just a pleasant drive to downtown. MLS. $79,500. GRAY LIATE, 656-5267; SID HASLAM, 477-1994; OFFICE 382-9191.

COME TO COLWOOD
A family home on one of the best streets. 3 bdrms. (4th down) good back garden with patio and trees. Owners transferred, must be sold. $64,500. MLS. GRAY LIATE, 656-5267; SID HASLAM, 477-1994; OFFICE, 382-9191.

TRY YOUR OFFER
MUST BE SOLD
Asking price reduced to $49,900. For this solidly blt. 2 bdrm. stucco bungalow, fireplace, auto heat, etc. on large, treed lot in convenient KMart area. Use B.C. 2nd and vendor will carry 1st to good convenant. (MLS 20184). View today, call GLEN McDANNOLD 595-6488; HERB McDANNOLD, 595-1177 or 382-9191.

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$68,500 for this well built 3-bedrm. home on quiet dead-end street. Lovely fenced garden — full basement, close to all ammenities. PAUL HYATT 656-3150 or 382-9191.

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625 HEIDA DRIVE
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598-1093 388-4271

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home. New 4-level split; with 3 bdrms., den, living room, large dining room, 2 fireplaces, full basmt., sea views from sundeck. Located in a prestige area and ready for you to choose your carpets. $129,000. For appointments call: DONNA VALIKOSKI, 388-4271 — 384-2057, JOAN HOPPER, 479-1667 — 652-3103.

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1.41 Acres—Saan.

Just listed, this exceptional property, ideal for the growing family — keep a horse, goat, chickens or? Spotless 3-bdrm. home, living room, W-W combined kitchen, family rm. and dining area. Den, sundeck, greenhouse, barn, chicken coop. 399 ft. Rd. frontage, quiet area. This unique property is priced at only $79,900. To view call:
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$46,700
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Drive by 2556 SELWYN ROAD. A good starter or retirement home located in a nice and quiet area of Langford. 2 bedrooms, 20 years old, fireplace, oil furnace, large lot, 18½x24½ sep. garage and low taxes. MLS.
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$127,000

2100 Sq. Ft. Living area. Secluded rear patio with terraced lawn, quality finishing, carpeted throughout, 3 bedrooms, room for 2 more. 3 bathrooms. 30-day possession. For appointment to view call:
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Large older 1½-storey, 5-bedroom home on easy-care lot, 3 bedrooms and 3-pce. bath up, 2 bedrooms and ½ bath on main. Full basement. Home needs updat'ng. Would make good rooming house. Asking $47,500. Offers invited. For more information please call:
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$110,000
Quadra location, close to bus, schools and stores, 10-year-old, tudor-style with 2 B.R.s, full basement each. One side has finished 2 B.R.s, 3-pce. bath, workshop and rec. room down. MLS.
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Immaculate! 4 level split on quiet cul-de-sac. Three BRs or den could be fourth. Fireplace in living room and family room. Third roughed in basement. 9'x45' sundeck. Large garden area. Home offers many extra features. $76,500.
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CHARACTER AND CHARM
Don't miss this comfortable 2-bedroom home in Empress-Quadra location. Bay window in living room, fireplace in dining room adds extra touch of homey feeling from the moment you step in. Family size kitchen with pantry, extra finished room on second floor ideal for hobby or play room. Full basement, separate garage. Nice lot. Owners bought. Make your offer on $47,500.
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ABOUT THIS HOUSE
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THIS WEEKEND

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AREA)
$48,500

SUN. 2-4 P.M.
382 FARVIEW
(COLWOOD)
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$53,500
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See this exquisite, luxurious home with fantastic ocean views. Set on beautiful, rose-covered grounds near Beacon Hill Park. Ideal for retired couple or small family. Well priced at only $110,000. MLS.
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No flowery descriptions, no run-of-the-mill come-ons. This house is a solid, attractive, remodelled older home with a good floor plan. It's not large but there is a living room with F.P., dining room, 4-pc. bath, 2 bedrooms, roomy kitchen, full basement, separate garage and large corner lot. It's spotless and in A-1 shape. See it — drive by 3965 Rainbow Street and call me to see inside. Your offer will be considered and your low down payment should work. MLS 21361.
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Bus. 598-5144 Res. 477-6773

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1255 FAITHFUL
Absolutely spotless — and located on a lovely tree-lined street in Fairfield this 2-bedroom modern home has also a super kitchen, dining room and living room with oak floors. The full basement also includes a finished rec. room. A must to see at only $59,900.
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2141 WENMAN
Situated in Gordon Head this three-bedroom home has breathtaking sea view. Nearly 1300 sq. ft. of modern living on the main floor plus 3 rooms finished in the basement. Other special features include a large fully landscaped lot, a quiet dead-end street and a price of only $79,500. MLS 21239.
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3622 TILLICUM
Try $4,000 down on this fine townhouse accommodation. Includes living room, dining room, kitchen, utility room and 2 piece bathroom on main floor. 3 bedrooms, storage room, and 4 piece bathroom upstairs. Stove, fridge, washer and dryer included in the low price of $36,500. MLS.
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Mayfair Centre
386-2955

OPEN HOUSE
SAT. 1:30-4:00
4066 CAREY RD.
A close in starter home at a far out price. LR with F.P., kitchen has eating area. Nicely decorated. Separate garage and storage shed. Super garden lot. Full price $42,500. MLS 20833. PETER SYKES, 386-2955 or 382-3216.

GORDON HEAD
Brand new deluxe home. All the latest features are incorporated in this lovely residence. 1650 sq. ft. Also 3-pce. bathroom in lower area. 3 bedrooms, large family room, guest size living room and dining room. One of the best values in town. See it now. Only $114,500. GEORGE PARSONS, 386-2955 or 598-3847.

OFFERS
An immaculate no-step 1300 sq. ft. home., 3 bedrooms, thru hall, attractive living room with fireplace, dining room, spacious kitchen with new custom built cabinets. Large utility room. Lovely landscaped lot. MLS. Trades considered. $57,500. GEORGE PARSONS, 386-2955 or 598-3847.

OPEN HOUSE
3834 Saul Street
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4 BEDROOMS
$43,900
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BRENTWOOD
A family home with space to spread. Out in the country, yet so near the city. 4 BR, 3 baths, sep. DR, kitchen with spacious eating area, family room off kitchen, basement, double garage. LR 17x24' with sundeck 25'x21'. In all a home with elbowroom for everybody. Even dad has his little den. Call 386-7414. W. Frebold Real Estate for an appointment to view. And remember; this is an invitation to make an offer!

TEN MILE POINT
A cosy home with 3 BR or two and den. LR, DR, kitchen, all are so well maintained and organized. They are ideal for family or retireds. Parking for two vehicles. Grounds are meticulous and the back seems to border on a wilderness park—that's what it looks like! What a setting. Phone 386-7414. W. Frebold Real Estate for an appointment to view.

$500
3 bedrooms, 4-piece bath ensuite, unique living room with fireplace, kitchen with breakfast area, lower floor roughed-in for rec. room with fireplace, 2 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom and laundry area, with tub and connection. Wall-to-wall carpeting and quality finishing main floor. Quiet Gordon Head cul-de-sac. Close to schools and park. Vendor will carry second mortgage. Exceptional value at $71,500. View by appointment only 595-6319 or 598-5498.

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$10,000 Below Appraised Value
DEEP COVE
1 acre on quiet cul-de-sac, large 1-year-old home with 3 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, kitchen, living room, family room, separate dining room, laundry room all on one floor with full lower level which could easily be developed. Large attached garage, sundeck with private patio, dual heating system, quality finished throughout $79,500. 656-6408.

$60,900
Just completed in Colwood, deluxe three-bedroom home located close to schools. Features include large living room with floor-to-ceiling white rock fireplace, ensuite plumbing off master bedroom, main bathroom, dining room, large kitchen with custom built cabinets, five-year Hudac warranty. 478-1259.

CHRISTMAS
BONUS $2,000
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155 PASSMORE
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Deaths and funerals

305 DEATHS and FUNERALS

BEWLEY — In Victoria on Dec. 15, 1976, Adella Mabel Bewley, aged 91 years, resident in Victoria for the past five years, formerly of Vancouver, B.C. for many years. Widow of John Alexander Bewley, she is survived by one daughter, Geraldine Press of Victoria; one son, Howard, of Victoria; two grandchildren, two great-grandchildren; a sister, Myrtle, in Seattle, and a sister, Carrie, in Winnipeg.
Funeral service in the FAMILY CHAPEL of McCall Bros. on Friday, Dec. 17 at 9:30 a.m., with the Rev. R. A. McLaren officiating. A GRAVESIDE service will be held at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Vancouver, at 2 p.m. on Friday. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St., or to the Cancer Fund, 857 Caledonia Ave.)

CLARK: On December 14th, 1976 in Victoria, B.C., Mrs. Gladys Marian Clark, of 336 Simcoe Street. She leaves a brother-in-law and nieces and nephews in England.
Funeral services will be held on Friday, December 17th at 3 p.m. in Hayward's Thomson & Irving Funeral Chapel, 1625 Quadra St. at Balmoral. Interment Royal Oak Burial Park.

GEISINGER — In Victoria on Dec. 13, 1976, Mr. Leopold Geisinger, aged 63 years, of 953 Empress Ave., born in Austria and resident here for 22 years. Predeceased by his wife, Anna, July, 1974, he is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, John and Betty, and grandchildren James and Richard of North Delta; also relatives in Austria.
Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., on Friday, Dec. 17 at 4 p.m. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St.)

GREEN — In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 14, 1976, Mrs. Margaret Grace Green, widow of Albert Richard Green, in her 80th year, born in England and a resident of Victoria for many years, late residence 2601 Scott St. She leaves her sons, Charlie Green, Courtenay, B.C., and Gordon Green, Victoria, B.C., and two grandchildren.
Service in the Sands Mortuary Ltd., Memorial Chapel of Chimes, on Friday, Dec. 17, 1976, at 11 a.m., Rev. A. Calder officiating.
SANDS - VICTORIA

MITCHELL — Isabella Duncan, beloved wife of Samuel, in Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 14, 1976. Born in Scotland. She also leaves a son, Dr. W. (Iain) Mitchell of England, and a daughter, Mrs. Margaret N. G. MacKenzie of Victoria; five grandchildren.
Memorial service Friday, Dec. 17, at 11:30 a.m. in the Chapel of First Memorial, 4725 Falaise Dr. Rev. Bruce Molloy officiating. Cremation. Flowers are gratefully declined. Arrangements by the Memorial Society of B.C. and FIRST MEMORIAL SERVICES LTD.

PERRY — Passed away in Victoria, B.C. on Wednesday, December 15, 1976, Mr. William Ferrrieve Perry in his 91st year. Survived by his nieces and nephews.
Funeral service in the FAMILY CHAPEL of McCall Bros. on Monday, Dec. 20 at 3:00 p.m. with the Rev. W. Van Druten officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

ROWLANDS — Mary M., of Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 14, 1976. Survived by her husband, James H.; one son, William; one daughter, Mrs. M. J. S. Johnson (Kathleen); five grandchildren; also one sister, Margaret (Scotland); nephews and nieces.
Memorial service will be held Friday, Dec. 17, at 2 p.m. in the chapel of First United Church, Victoria, Rev. H. Hunter officiating. Cremation. Flowers gratefully declined, donations may be made to the B.C. Heart Foundation. Arrangements through First Memorial Services Ltd.

SANDERS — In Victoria on December 15, 1976, Miss Violet Alma Beatrice Sanders, aged 87 years, of 307 Moss St., a resident of Victoria for the past 30 years. She leaves a niece Mrs. W. (Peggy) Howard of Calgary.
Funeral service in McCall Bros. FAMILY CHAPEL, on Friday, Dec. 17, at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Hatley Memorial Gardens.

SHOEBRIDGE — Patricia Mary Frances Shoebridge, born June 5th, 1932, died December 15th, 1976. Survived by her mother Mrs. A. E. Shoebridge, 2 sisters, June Haufek of Winnipeg, Gail Pauls of Victoria, nieces and nephews.
Funeral service will be held at 12 noon Friday December 17, in Hayward's Thomson and Irving Funeral Chapel, 1625 Quadra at Balmoral.

309 IN MEMORIAM

THEY SHALL GROW NOT OLD AS WE WHO ARE LEFT GROW OLD. AGE SHALL NOT WEARY THEM, NOR THE YEARS CONDEMN. AT THE GOING DOWN OF THE SUN, AND IN THE MORNING, WE WILL REMEMBER THEM.
WITH GRATITUDE, SANDS.

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BEWLEY, Mrs. Adella Mabel
9:30 a.m.—FAMILY CHAPEL
SANDERS, Miss Violet Alma B.
2:30 p.m.—FAMILY CHAPEL
GEISINGER, Mr. Leopold
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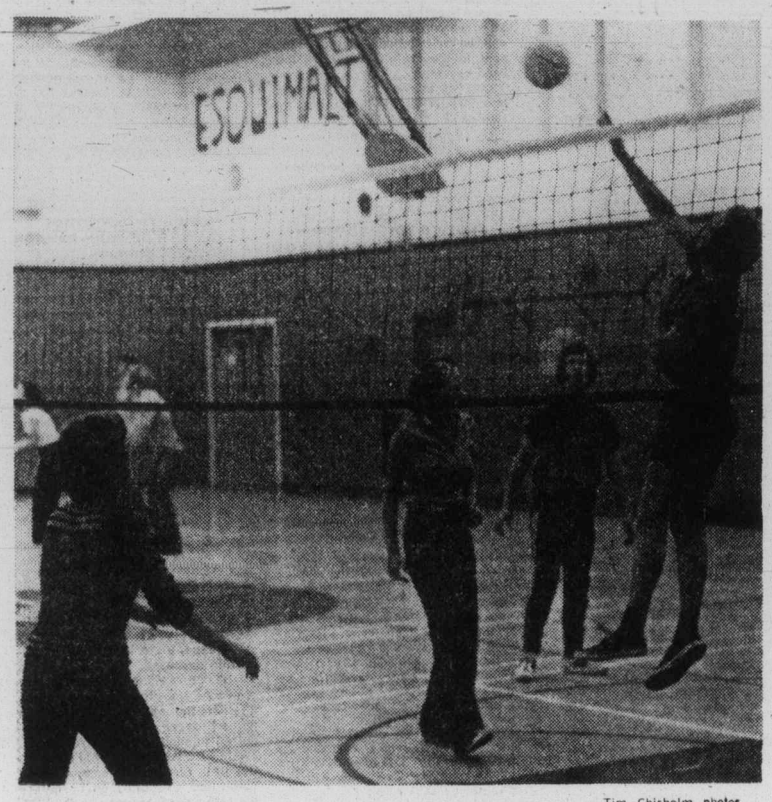

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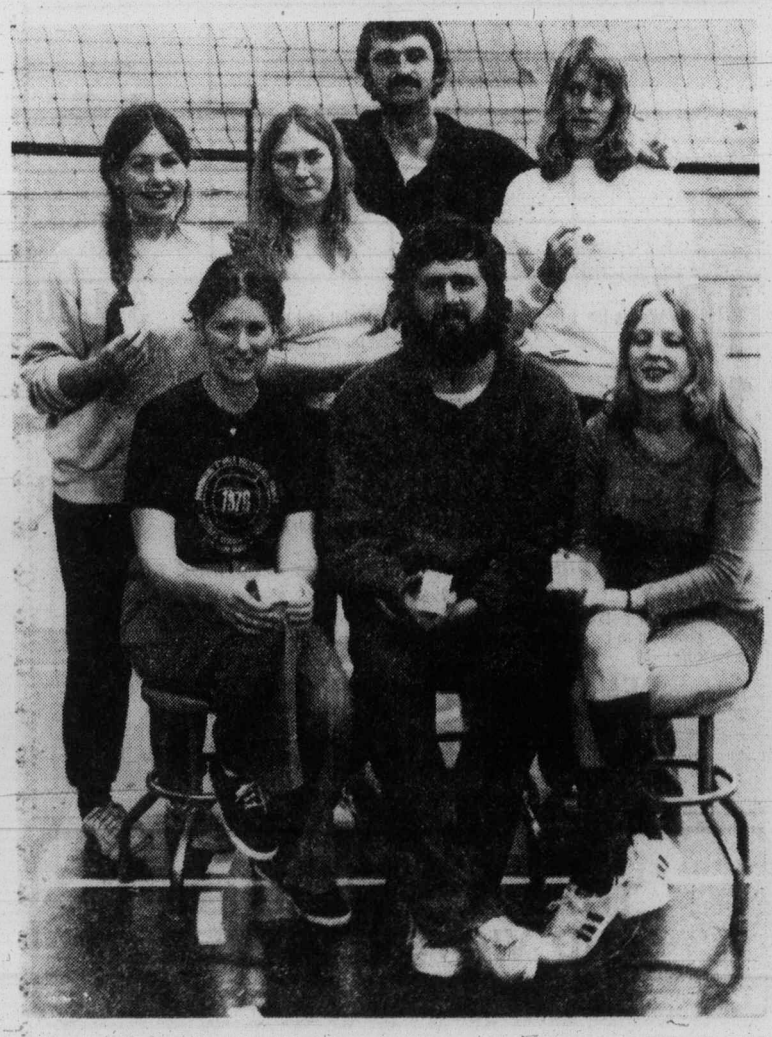
Right on the ball

Eight teams entered recent invitational volleyball tournament sponsored by continuing education arm of Malaspina College, with Nanaimo Recreators winning in competition at Nanaimo District high school. Action shot shows Recreators in final during their win over Hospital Hypos. In another photo are Recreators: Rear, from left, Carol Morgan, Linda Low, Carrol Brooks and Lynn Houekamp; front, from left, Kirk Palmer, Chris Bellwood and Bill Marriorr. Also shown are Qualicum Flukes who won the secondary competition. Rear, from left, Leslie Gaunt, Carol Lawrence, Jim Stewart, Gisela Thickett; front, from left, Tina Beard, Gary Roland and Cathy Hill.



Cowichan Bay estuary fight sees entry of legal hurdles

By CRAIG MEREDITH
Colonist Correspondent

NORTH COWICHAN — The rezoning of a controversial Cowichan Bay property in order to halt a shingle mill and log haul-out proposed there is underway, but council is awaiting advice from its solicitor to find out if the public hearing was valid.

More than 70 people attended the 2½-hour public hearing in the crowded North Cowichan municipal council chambers, where the opponents and proponents of the rezoning pleaded their cases before council decided to give first reading to the rezoning bylaw.

The North Cowichan council zoning amendment to the Cowichan estuary property, which would effectively disallow forestry-related uses, was slated for three readings this week, but one of the opponent's lawyers declared the public hearing invalid.

Legal counsel for Island Shake and Shingle Ltd. of Lake Cowichan, Ken Newcomb, challenged the validity of the hearing on two procedural grounds at the outset and asked that the hearing be halted.

He said the municipal council had neglected to inform his clients in the manner prescribed in the Municipal Act, and questioned whether Ald. Birgitte Meagher, wife of Cowichan Estuary Preservation Society president Michael Meagher, could sit as an impartial member of council on the proceedings.

After some discussion, chairman of the hearing, Mayor Gerry Smith, overruled the lawyer's objections with the unanimous support of council and applause from the audience which was weighted against any further development on the Cowichan estuary.

But council did agree to seek advice from its solicitor on the protestations and make its stand known in this regard within the next few days.

Municipal administrator John Berikoff said Thursday afternoon that he had not as yet contacted legal counsel for advice, but suggested this would be done today.

The municipality's regular legal counsel, Williams, Davie and Co., advised council earlier this week that they would be unable to act for them because the two owners of the 13 acres being rezoned were also their clients.

The Duncan law firm said it also advised its other clients, Doman Industries Ltd. and Island Shake and Shingle, that it could not act on their behalf in this matter.

Two weeks ago the municipality of North Cowichan began rezoning proceedings on the land south of and adjacent to Doman's Cowichan Bay mill.

The move came at the same time as Island Shake and Shingle made application to build a 64,500-square-foot mill on part of the land on which it holds a purchase option.

Before any submissions were made to the public hearing Wednesday, 13 letters, all but two in opposition to further estuary development, were read into the minutes.

The major proponent of the rezoning is the Cowichan Estuary Preservation Society, commending council for its initiative in moving to protect Cowichan Bay.

Society President Mike Meagher stated in his submission that the current industrial development in Cowichan Bay has been a source of annoyance to residents and sportsmen, and a source of environmental degradation in the estuary.

"We emphasize again that such detrimental effects are not limited to the Doman mill, but apply somewhat to Westcan Terminals and the log-booming activities in the Bay," he said.

Meagher added that the proposed rezoning would be maintaining the "status quo" recommendation made in the 1974 B.C. Environment and Land Use Committee task force report.

Speaking for the Cowichan Indian band council, which owns the largest adjacent piece of estuary land, W. C. Kretz of the department of Indian Affairs said the band council has approved in principle the building of a shingle mill on Indian land, if not in the municipality.

"You (North Cowichan council) are the authors of your own misfortune by already allowing development in the estuary. You must now carry some of the liabilities and responsibility for the problems," Kretz stated, adding that the mill represents employment for band members.

Environmental impact consultant for Island Shake and Shingle, Dr. T. D. Groves, who told the hearing he did a two-week biological assessment on the proposed site, said the mill and haul-out would not affect the Cowichan-Koksilah salmon resource and would cause little "if any" reduction of the present bird habitat.

"I do not contradict the statements of the general study (ELUC task force), but I do say each property in the estuary has to be considered separately as far as environmental impact, because there are differences," he emphasized.

The sampling methods employed by the Island Shake and Shingle consultant came under fire from a University of Victoria student working on his master's in biology, who suggested Groves did not employ all the tools available.

Doman Industries vice-president Joe Frumento, who spoke against the rezoning of part of their property and the water-filled channel to non-forestry-related uses, charged council with a "breach of faith."

"We have spent $13 million so far and had planned to spend another $5 million on property which was given zoning approval two years ago.

"We can't continue unless you can give us some assurance that this property will not be zoned to this proposed use," he said.

Mayor Smith told Frumento amendments were being considered on the proposed rezoning in relation to its effect on the Doman property and mill.

President of Island Shake and Shingle, Bert Rodenbush, followed the plea by Frumento by telling the hearing that council also had to consider the economic impact of its decision to rezone the property.

"We are not just talking about the 150 jobs for this community, but also the 50 positions in our Lake Cowichan operation, which are in jeopardy unless we can get some saltwater access," he explained.

Rodenbush said his company had spent seven years looking for a suitable location and spent thousands of dollars investigating the Cowichan Bay site.

One elderly Cowichan Bay resident broke in at this point and told the company president "to spend some more time looking."

After some inquiries were made by some members of the audience, who were frequently gavelled out of order for their outbursts, the hearing was closed and council voted unanimously to give the first reading.

If the validity of the hearing is not challenged, second and third readings of the bylaw and any possible amendments will be made at the first meeting of council in the New Year.

—Agnes Flett photo

Residents of Island's west coast flocked to hearing

Wildlife refuge

Big Tofino crowd gets concessions

By RAY KERR
Island Editor

TOFINO — Tofino's population is 600, but some 300 persons turned out for this week's crucial public meeting on the proposed wildlife refuge in this area.

And the tremendous response was apparently enough to convince the fish and wildlife branch of the provincial recreation ministry that another look was necessary.

Last week, the wildlife refuge plan for the Browning Passage-Tofino Harbor region was all but a foregone conclusion.

It was to encompass some 6,000 acres — which is about four times the size of Thetis Lake Park in Greater Victoria — and not much was known about it until Alberni-Clayoquot Region Board members began "raising the odd eyebrow," as one of them put it.

From then on eyebrows kept getting raised in ever-quicker succession, and the whole thing snowballed into this week's public meeting here.

Faced with so much opposition, fish and wildlife branch officials put the ball in the regional court, with a citizen advisory committee formed.

It includes representation from Tofino, Ucluelet and three Indian bands, and it'll have a busy time before the next public meeting set for February of 1977.

For one thing, the fish-wildlife branch wanted not only about 6,000 acres of land, but about 10 miles of shoreline as well.

However, indications were at the meeting this stand may be revised by the February session.

One of the reasons for this week's huge throng may have been the urgings such as the following which appeared in a local newspaper:

"If you're unhappy, don't be complacent. Go to tonight's meeting, express your views — after listening carefully to what the government fellows have to say—and if necessary, scream bloody murder against the proposal until you're absolutely sure that the gurus in Victoria have heard you."

It certainly would appear that if the provincial "gurus" haven't got the message by now, a whole batch of hearing aids will be in order.

No teacher hike

COURTENAY — Teachers in the Comox Valley will not be receiving a raise in pay in 1977, a school district spokesman said.

The teachers and school district went to binding arbitration in November with the board appointee, Ken Whitley, and the teachers' member, Ernie Hall, failing by Dec. 2 to agree upon a third member as chairman.

Either arbitrator should then have applied to the minister of labor for appointment of a chairman by Dec. 7, a school district spokesman said. Normally the application is made by the party which opens the contract, in this case the teachers.

Neither side applied in the Comox Valley case until after the deadline date. The Public Schools Act provides that where such an appointment has not been made by Dec. 7, the submission of the contract to arbitration is rescinded and the contract for the current year remains in force.

The teachers obtained a 12-per-cent salary increase for 1976 which was later rolled back to 9 per cent by the federal Anti-Inflation Board. The teachers were seeking another 12 per cent for 1977.

Spiritual life given on tape

An introduction to the life and art of spiritual teacher Sri Chinmoy will be given with slides and tape recordings at 1360 St. Patrick at 8 p.m. tonight.

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High order being appealed

Colonist Correspondent

NORTH COWICHAN — A B.C. Supreme Court writ ordering this municipality to issue a building permit for a proposed 26-unit apartment in Chemainus is being appealed.

North Cowichan council decided Wednesday to contest the order by Mr. Justice Davie Fulton in the B.C. Court of Appeal after being advised of his judgment, which was handed down earlier this month.

In light of this, notice was filed in a Victoria court Thursday by the municipality's solicitor, and a municipal official said work on the proposed apartment at 3065 Pine Street will be halted until the case is heard.

In December of 1975, Gillwood Estates Ltd. of Victoria applied to the municipality to build a 26-unit attached-housing development in Chemainus.

The company was advised that municipal council had adopted a resolution imposing a moratorium on all apartment and multi-family development within the municipality until such time as a zoning bylaw could be amended.

The applicant was later advised the moratorium would soon be lifted, and submitted a further application for construction of the complex May 13, 1976.

In June of this year, the municipal council rescinded the building moratorium, but adopted a further resolution restricting subdivision in the Chemainus area to one lot from parent properties and limited construction to one and two-family dwellings, because of sewer problems.

Gillwood Estates then submitted an application for subdivision to create an additional lot of 2½ acres, and it was approved, but was advised in August no development would be approved until the sewer problem had been resolved.

On Sept. 8, the applicant, referring to the plans and materials previously submitted, applied for a building permit and paid the $5,900 in payment for a permit fee and impost charges.

At a regular meeting of council on Sept. 22, the application was considered but a resolution was adopted reaffirming the earlier policy on development in Chemainus, and the Gillwood Estates cheque was returned.

Fulton said in his judgment that it was unfortunate from the council's point of view that it did not withhold approval for the subdivision plan, as it might have under the Land Registry Act.

In lieu of the judgment order, the municipal officials have issued the building permit, but a spokesman said on Thursday that he expected it would be repossessed by the courts until such time as the appeal proceedings have been conducted and a decision arrived at.

French royal sword stolen from Louvre

PARIS (UPI) — Three robbers climbed scaffolding left by workers and slipped through an unbarred window of the Louvre Thursday and made off with the priceless diamond-studded coronation sword of King Charles X.

Police said three armed and masked men climbed steel tube scaffolds set up by workers cleaning the walls of the museum's main courtyard, opened the full-length windows between statues of great French artists on the museum's second floor and clubbed and tied up two guards who tried to stop them.

A third guard escaped and ran to give the alarm.

The robbers sprinted to the Apollo gallery where the French crown jewels are exhibited and smashed the showcase containing the diamond-studded ceremonial sword, stirrups and saddle of King Charles X, younger brother of Louis XVI, who ruled 150 years ago.

With the alarm bells ringing, the thieves fled with only the jewelled sword.

A museum spokesman said the sword had such historical value that "one cannot set any value on it." She said the piece was so well known it could not be sold, but that the robbers could remove the diamonds and sell them individually.

The sword was made for Charles for his coronation in 1824 by French artist Frederic Bapst. The stones that adorn it are all part of the crown jewels collection begun by King Francois I.

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Copies of the documents including Instruction to Tenderers, form of tender, plans and specifications may be seen on application to the Directors of Fisheries, Pacific Region, 1090 West Pender Street, Vancouver, B.C. V6E 2P1, or may be obtained on loan from the above upon deposit of $25.00 in the form of a certified cheque or money order payable to the RECEIVER GENERAL OF CANADA.

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PROVINCIAL COURT

A man described as a "hopeless alcoholic" by Judge William Ostler was sentenced to six months in jail Thursday in Victoria Provincial Court and the judge strongly recommended his time be spent at the Alouette River unit for alcoholics on the Lower Mainland.

David Lindsay Ryan, 23, of 1265 Grant, pleaded guilty Monday to breaking and entering with intent and was remanded to Thursday for a pre-sentence report.

Ryan was charged with breaking into the supply room of the Royal Jubilee Hospital pharmacy on Dec. 11. Victoria city police, at the hospital on another matter, apprehended Ryan in the pharmacy.

"This is an extremely depressing and sad case," Ostler commented before handing out the six-month term and 18 month's probation.

Ostler noted that Ryan had a bad record with offences related to alcoholism.

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A Saanich man who wanted to lay countercharges against police was calmed down sufficiently to have charges read against him first.

Roger Lindal, 38, of 5191 Rambler, waved his arms at Ostler to show a bruise on his left wrist which he claimed was the result of handcuffing, and suggested that assault with a deadly weapon might be the appropriate charge.

However, Ostler was able to quieten Lindal enough to have charges read of causing a disturbance and assault by resisting an attempt to remove him. Lindal pleaded not guilty to both charges, which arose from a Thursday morning incident at the Royal Oak Inn.

Lindal was released on his own recognizance in the sum of $350 and remanded to Dec. 22 to fix a trial date.

During his tirade, Lindal said he was a badminton player and that the injury was luckily to his left hand, used to pick up the shuttlecock, and not his racquet hand, "or else I would be really hot."

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James Michael Pogue, 33, of 95 Wellington, was remanded until Dec. 22 for election on a Dec. 1 charge of possession of marijuana for the purpose of trafficking.

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Ostler handed out sentences totalling nine years, four months on 10 charges but because they were all concurrent, the sentence amounted to only one year.

John Petrashuik, also known as John Ptrashuyk, who formerly resided at 1135 Hilda, pleaded guilty Monday to seven charges of false pretences and one charge each of possession of a stolen motorcycle and stealing a car.

Before sentencing, Petrashuik changed his plea from not guilty to guilty on a charge of failing to appear in court.

Ostler gave the 23-year-old man one year each on all charges except the last one. He handed out a four-month term for failing to appear in court but made all sentences concurrent.

Petrashuik was facing charges in Calgary and admitted to authorities there that there were outstanding charges in Victoria and was transported back to B.C.

Crown counsel Robert Mulligan told the court the value of goods and money received on the bad cheque charges was $3,511.35 and the value of the stolen motorcycle was about $4,000.

"It's not dangerous, it's outrageous," Ostler said to an 18-year-old who pleaded guilty to dangerous driving and was fined $200.

Mulligan told the court that Saanich police began chasing Stuart Otto Hyde on Douglas Street, near the Trans-Canada Highway at 65 miles an hour. The chase reached speeds of 100 miles an hour before Hyde was stopped 3½ miles later near the Thetis Lake overpass on the Trans-Canada Highway.

Defence lawyer Robert Buffam, arguing for a conditional discharge, told Ostler Hyde had bought the car the week before and that dashboard lights were not working. Buffam said Hyde was also "egged on" by a passenger in his car.

Ostler rejected the request by saying it was neither in the public's interest nor Hyde's to grant a conditional discharge.

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Ostler agreed with Mulligan that the case of an 18-year-old Saanich youth charged with theft over $200 was an unusual one.

Keith Edward Mack, 1100 Burnside, was charged with theft of three antique chairs valued at $600 from his mother, who lodged the complaint.

Mack explained to police that he took the chairs to pay a common assault fine of $200, the assault having taken place against Mack's mother.

However, Mulligan said, Mack's mother had said that her son's behavior had been exemplary since he spent a week in jail.

Ostler remanded Mack until Jan. 6 and ordered a pre-sentence report.

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A 30-year-old man who grabbed another man by the hair and kicked him in the stomach last April was fined $75.

John Raymond Day, a seaman aboard the Canadian Coast Guard cutter Ready, was originally charged with assault causing bodily harm but a guilty plea to the lesser charge of common assault was accepted.

Court was told the incident took place outside a Sidney beer parlor.

Elderly ride free on bus next week

Municipal Affairs Minister Hugh Curtis handed a traditional Christmas Gift to elderly people in outlaying areas Thursday.

Next Tuesday and Wednesday they can ride free on Vancouver Island Transit bus lines to do their Christmas shopping.

They must present their pharmacare cards when boarding a bus.

Vancouver Island Transit serves Colwood, Langford, Metchosin, Sooke, Cordova Bay, Central Saanich, North Saanich and Sidney.

B.C. Hydro earlier announced similar free rides for the elderly on the same days.

B.C. housing grants face lengthy delay

The provincial housing ministry has hired 10 temporary clerks in an attempt to clear up a backlog of applications for home acquisition grants and second mortgages.

Housing Minister Hugh Curtis said Thursday the normal backlog is around 1,000 but as of Nov. 30 there were 7,000 applicants on the waiting list.

"Despite in the increase in staff, some applicants will still have to wait for around three months before receiving a cheque," Curtis said. Under normal circumstances it takes around six weeks to process an application.

"We are doing everything we can to speed up the processing," Curtis said. "We hope to have the backlog cleared by the end of January."

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Six killed in plunge

JAKARTA (Reuter) — Six persons died and 34 were injured when a truck carrying more than 80 passengers plunged into a river after hitting a bridge in East Java, the Jakarta daily, Kompas, reported.

Puck rowdy out for five

FREDERICTON (CP) — Greg Wright, a United States hockey player, has been barred from Canadian hockey for five years.

Wright, a member of the Concorde, N. H., Budmen was suspended Thursday by the New Brunswick Amateur Hockey Association for striking a linesman in the face in a Dec. 11 exhibition game against Fredericton Chevies of the Southeastern New Brunswick Hockey League.

Plans may change for 1978 Games

EDMONTON (CP) — Modifications to the sports program of the 1978 Commonwealth Games will be discussed in London early next month, Geoff Dyson, sports co-ordinator for the Commonwealth Games Foundation, said Thursday.

He said he will meet with Sandy Duncan, secretary of the Commonwealth Games Federation, which has some questions about a preliminary document on the foundation's sports program.

The discussions will deal with television rights, scheduling of special events for Alberta athletes, possible acceptance of shooting marks as world records for the first time and starting times for opening ceremonies.

Dyson said the possibility of a Third World or African boycott will also be part of the talks.

He said he does not believe a boycott will occur but it may be necessary to prepare a modified sports program just in case it does.

Track coach resigns

TORONTO (CP) — Paul Poce, citing "uncertainty" for the future, has gone the way of Ken Twigg, Diane Clement and Johanna Kennedy and resigned as distance coach for the Canadian Track and Field Association. The resignation is effective Dec. 31, 1976.

Twigg, the CTFA's executive director, and Clement and Kennedy, president and vice-president of the association respectively, submitted their resignations at a meeting two weeks ago when branch delegates rejected a revamped track program that would have cost them additional funds.

CTFA members subsequently agreed to the new program.

Poce said Thursday he didn't feel he could do the job he was hired to do under the restrictive format imposed by the association.

Olympic staff slashed

MONTREAL (CP) — The staff of COJO, the organizing committee of the 1976 Montreal Olympic Games, will be reduced to about 40 people by the middle of April. At the height of the games, nearly 25,000 people were employed by COJO.

Roger Rousseau, commissioner-general of the Montreal Games, gave the figures Thursday during a ceremony at the Olympic House.

Rousseau said the staff will be "reduced to about 100 by the end of this month.

"We'll spend January, February and March compiling the official report on the games of the 21st Olympiad and finishing work on the official film of the games," he said. "The 40,000 people after April will take care of clerical problems."

Managerial job for Brinkman

DETROIT (AP) — Ed Brinkman, a former shortstop for Detroit Tigers, will manage the Tigers' Class AA Montgomery, Ala., farm club, the American League baseball team has announced.

Brinkman, 34, played for the Tigers from 1971 through 1974. He replaces Les Moss, who led Montgomery Rebels of the Southern League to two consecutive pennants. Moss has been named manager of Detroit's Class AAA minor league team in Evansville, Ind.

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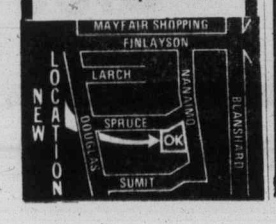

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RCMP probing fees

OTTAWA (CP) — RCMP are looking into whether "any wrongdoings" are involved in the payment of $2.4 million as a commission fee in the sale of a nuclear reactor to Argentina, Justice Minister Ron Basford said Thursday.

Under questioning in the Commons from Opposition Leader Joe Clark, Basford agreed that the police inquiry will go beyond the narrow question of identifying the name of the agent involved in the sale.

The police were called into the inquiry after Energy Minister Alastair Gillespie said he had run out of patience trying to find out the name of the agent who was paid $2.4 million by Atomic Energy of Canada Ltd., (AECL) a government-owned company, in April of 1974.

AECL chairman Ross Campbell said at a meeting of the Commons public accounts committee earlier that he was "distressed by the decision" to call in the police.

Campbell said the involvement of the RCMP seems to point to criminal acts either in Canada or by AECL's partner in the deal, Italimpianti of Genoa, Italy.

Italimpianti made the arrangements for an agent in the sale, billing the Canadian company for half the cost — $2.4 million.

Gillespie said AECL has been unsuccessfully trying to find out from Italimpianti details of the agent's agreement in the sale. It also has been unable to find out the name of the agent.

"I felt that the time had come when we could no longer wait for the information and it was made very clear both over the telephone and in printed messages that we wanted the information," Gillespie said in the Commons when asked about reference of the matter to the RCMP.

Campbell told a committee investigating the issue Thursday that he had not been consulted about turning the matter over to the police and only heard of it when Gillespie announced it in the Commons Wednesday.

AECL said Italimpianti made the arrangements for an agent and when the sale went through asked the Canadian firm to pay him $2.4 million.

At Italimpianti's instructons, the money was deposted in a Lugano, Switzerland, bank account held by Intercontinental General Trading Establishment of Schaan, Liechtenstein.

But AECL says it does not know who Inter - continental is or whether that was the agent involved in the sale.

Campbell told the committee that people associate the RCMP with criminal acts and involvement of the police would seem to point to such dealings either in Canada or overseas. He has said continually that there is no evidence of wrongdoing in the dealings by AECL with agents.

He also pointed out to the committee that AECL will have to deal with Italimpianti for the next six years before the Argentinian reactor is completed. He was worried about relations between the two companies.

The Commons public accounts committee now is looking into both the Argentinian sale as well as an agent hired to promote a sale to South Korea — United Development Inc. of Tel Aviv.

The federal auditor general says there is insufficient documentation to back $8.1 million of the $15.4 million already paid to United. He also says United is attempting to provide the information requested.

Both agents were engaged while J. Lorne Gray headed AECL.

Campbell said Thursday that Gray is eager to appear before the committee at an early date. The committee will hear him in January after the Christmas recess.

One more setback for Nixon

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Richard Nixon and top Watergate offenders H. R. Haldeman and John Mitchell will be ordered to pay damages to former national security council staff member Morton Halperin for bugging his telephone conversations, a federal judge ruled Thursday.

U.S. district Judge John Lewis Smith said he will set the amount of damages later.

Smith dismissed Halperin's suit against his immediate boss, Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, then head of the national security council, saying he merely gave the White House "plumbers" the names of officials who might have had access to leaked information.

Halperin, whose home telephone was tapped for 21 months by the White House plumbers, was one of 13 government officials and four news reporters subjected to surveillance in a search for the source of security council news leaks.

He sued Nixon, former White House chief of staff Haldeman, ex-attorney general Mitchell and others for an estimated $3 million damages.

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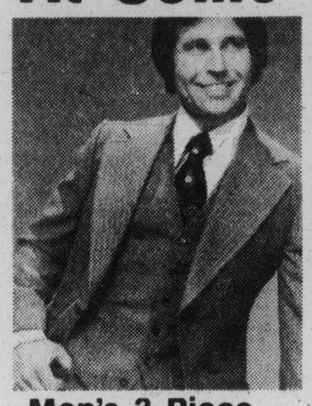

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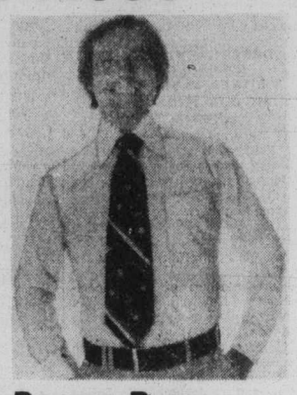

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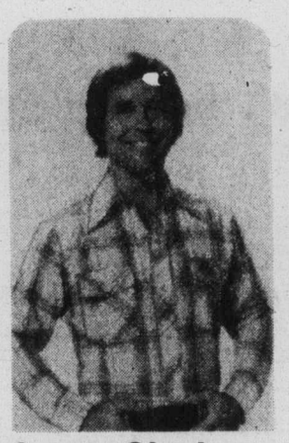

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All 16 survive AirWest strait plunge

—CTV newsfilm by Len Kowalewich

Passenger steps from doorway to join others on undamaged pontoon of listing plane

AirWest Twin Otter

Passengers awaited rescue from pontoon

Three Victoria passengers were among 16 persons who survived a frightening ordeal Thursday when an AirWest Airlines Twin Otter ditched in the freezing waters of Juan de Fuca Strait, three miles south of Macaulay Point.

If the U.S. Coast Guard hadn't arrived shortly after the crash, a Vancouver passenger said, the people aboard the plane "wouldn't be celebrating Christmas this year."

The Twin Otter, a turboprop designed to land on water, was Flight 109 from Vancouver to Victoria.

Four U.S. helicopters and five ships arrived at the scene minutes after the pilot, Ted Mitchell of Chilliwack, radioed a distress signal at 11:20 a.m. The message was picked up by a coast guard helicopter at Port Angeles, Wash.

Mitchell, who received minor head injuries, was treated at Royal Jubilee Hospital and released. The other persons aboard the plane escaped major injury in the 2½-hour ordeal.

The Victoria passengers were Gwenneth Saunders, 884 Falkland, Tirjeet Singh Johl, 3662 Dartmouth, and Dr. Peter Coy, 4532 Tiedemann.

All passengers and crew — Mitchell and co-pilot Mike Lowther of West Vancouver — were placed aboard a U.S. Coast Guard helicopter and later transferred to a Canadian Harbors Board pilot boat.

Jim McCrory, who was manning the radio at the Port Angeles coast guard station, said the U.S. helicopters had to search blindly through the fog "until they stumbled on the plane."

Two coast guard helicopters were sent out on the search, and were later joined by two U.S. Navy helicopters and two coast guard surface vessels from Port Angeles.

The first helicopter at the scene settled down in the water next to the disabled airplane, and began taking passengers aboard.

One of the copter crewmen jumped into the water to assist passengers who were swimming over from the plane's pontoon and cabin and the co-pilot helped the passengers into the helicopter.

About halfway through the rescue operation, McCrory said, the AirWest plane suddenly listed and as it did so one of its wings passed through the copter's spinning rotors.

The tips of all three rotors were knocked off, and the pilot made no attempt to lift off after taking all the passengers aboard.

The passengers were then transferred to the harbors board craft and the helicopter was towed back to Port Angeles.

The Pacific Rescue Co-ordination Centre said the 18-passenger Twin Otter tipped over and the passenger compartment was submerged after all passengers had left the plane. A tug later tied a line to the plane but the line

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'It was pretty lucky for us . . .'

Passengers who survived the crash of an AirWest Twin Otter in Juan de Fuca Strait Thursday couldn't see the ocean coming closer and closer. Fog prevented that.

The plane appeared to be in a normal cruising attitude, then it suddenly bounced against the sea.

William Ling a passenger from West Vancouver, said the plane hit the water, buckling both pontoons, and bounced along the surface for about 100 feet.

"We had a hard landing," he said, adding that all passengers were given lifejackets and no one panicked.

Everyone stood on the pontoons for about 20 or 25 minutes before a helicopter arrived, he said, and about three minutes after the arrival of the helicopter, the plane sank from sight.

Len Kowalewich, a CTV cameraman aboard the plane, estimated the plane was travelling about 110 miles an hour and the "next thing we knew, we smacked into the water.

"Near the end there we were getting worried," he said. "It was pretty lucky for us."

There were two dogs aboard, he said, and "one didn't make it."

"It was frightening. It was terribly frightening," another passenger from West Vancouver said.

After the plane hit the water, he said, water began pouring inside and the passengers managed to abandon the craft.

Dr. Peter Coy, head of the Victoria Cancer Clinic, who

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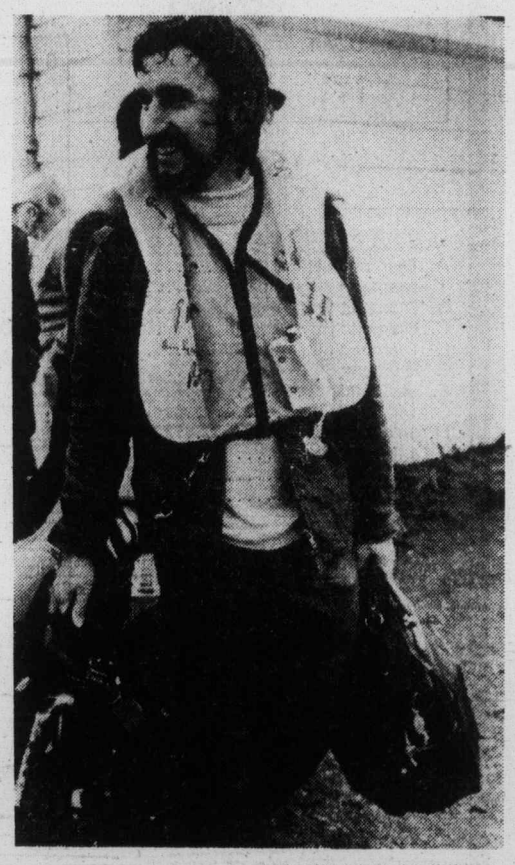

— Colonist photo by Ian McKain

Soaked CTV cameraman Kowalewich
. . . 'near the end, there, we were getting worried'

Arabs to hike oil price 10%

DOHA, Qatar (UPI) — Oil ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries decided Thursday to boost oil prices up to 10 per cent on Jan. 1.

The 13-member conference agreed to allow Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates to raise prices by only five per cent while the 11 other OPEC nations imposed the full 10-per-cent increase according to Venezuelan minister Valentin Hernandez Acosta.

The decision, which was forecast to mean an increase of a penny a gallon in the price of gasoline in the United States, came after the refusal of Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani, the Saudi Arabian oil minister, to join the majority and raise prices by 15 per cent.

Hernandez said the "temporary resolution" of OPEC's pricing problems would last only from Jan. 1 to June 1, and he said agreement on it was unanimous among the 13 OPEC members.

According to estimates by U.S. Commerce Secretary Elliot Richardson, the oil price increase will mean a minimum $2 billion out of the pockets of American consumers in the coming year.

Richardson told a news conference Thursday that a five-per-cent price increase would translate into a surge of $1.7 billion in U.S. dollars spent abroad in 1977 and, at the consumer level, a $2-billion boost in the cost of fuel and the energy component of other products.

Much of the consumer price boost will show up in gasoline and heating fuel — an average one cent a gallon — but not uniformly around the nation, Richardson estimated.

Vamani, one of the most powerful voices in the organization, had been holding out for a six-month oil price freeze.

Conference sources said it seemed likely that the 11 countries might try to raise their prices by another five per cent in July, after the temporary plan ends.

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B.C., Ontario, U.S.
'Temporary' flu-shot halt

The provincial health department Thursday ordered temporary abandonment of the swine flu vaccination program.

The action came after a U.S.-wide halt ordered because of concern over a possible connection with temporary paralysis. Ontario also temporarily suspended its swine flu inoculations.

The B.C. health ministry announcement came a few hours after issuance of a new priority list of occupations entitled to the vaccine.

In the U.S. the national Centre for Disease Control in Atlanta reported earlier that some persons vaccinated against influenza had developed a condition known as the Gullain-Barre syndrome. The announcement Tuesday said there was no connection between the ailment and the swine flu vaccination program.

The CDC said, however, it was halting the U.S.-wide program temporarily pending further study of the relationship between the condition and the vaccination program.

Before the cancellation notice in B.C. it had been announced that next in line for the vaccine were doctors and nurses, hospital workers, ambulance drivers, persons working in community care facilities, police and prison guards, firemen, B.C. Hydro employees and the B.C. Telephone staff.

Already thousands of elderly and chronically-ill persons had received the vaccine, 7,000 of them in Greater Victoria.

A clinic had been planned for today at the Cook Street offices of the Capital Region community health service, a spokesman said.

Dr. Kenneth Benson, associate deputy health minister, said suspension of the program would not affect those most likely to be hit by swine flu — those in the high-risk categories and those over 65 or chronically ill — as that part of the program had been completed.

He stressed that the cancellation was temporary and could last for at least a week

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Caouette
. . . heart attack

Socreds' Caouette dies at 59

OTTAWA (CP) — Real Caouette, one of Canada's more colorful parliamentarians, and former leader of the Social Credit Party died Thursday at age 59.

A party official confirmed that the Quebec politician had died in Ottawa Civic Hospital of a heart attack.

He had been extremely weak since undergoing open heart surgery two weeks ago.

Funeral services will be held at Rouyn, Que., where Caouette operated a car dealership. The exact time and date were not immediately known.

Caouette first sat in the House of Commons after being elected to represent the northwestern Quebec riding of Temiscamingue in 1946.

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"From their last pay cheque they donated what they felt they could afford. Some gave their whole pay cheque when they thought it was going to help make some child happy at Christmas who otherwise wouldn't be. They all gave from the heart when they knew they could help someone else. It gives them a warm feeling knowing that they could give something instead of taking.

"May all the families and the many children helped through the 500 Fund have a very Merry Christmas and may God bless each and everyone who gives whatever they can."

The 500 Fund closes Monday. Donations will be accepted up until 5 p.m.

Donation dropoffs points and list of latest donations appear on Page 2.

ANDY CAPP

All 16 survive strait plunge

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broke and the aircraft sank.

Rescue centre spokesman Lieut. Richard Pepper said the aircraft went down in 306 feet of water shortly after 4 p.m. while being towed by a Canadian navy vessel.

Capt. C. T. Lanyon of the rescue centre said cause of the crash was not known and the accident was being probed by the transport ministry's accident investigation branch.

Norman Gold, president of AirWest which started the Vancouver-Victoria flights in 1968, said it was the first accident on this run since the operation began.

During the winter, there are about 15 flights a day between Victoria and Vancouver using about 18 planes, including seven Twin Otters.

The airline also has flights from Vancouver to Nanaimo and recently received approval for flights between Victoria and Seattle, which will start in April.

Gold said the company, formed in 1958, plans to continue its schedule as usual despite the incident.

An AirWest Twin Otter crash-landed near Bella Coola on Sept. 22. One passenger died.

Last Friday, a coroner's jury investigating the crash recommended the transport ministry "enforce the regulation pertaining to emergency and survival equipment and the adequacy of the existing regulations should be reviewed."

There was evidence the aircraft only had one small first aid kit aboard and there was no emergency or safety equipment on the plane.

Mrs. Saunders, 60, the only woman on the flight Thursday, was resting at the home of her son, Tony Saunders, after being released from hospital.

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'Pretty lucky'

was sitting at the rear of the $500,000 aircraft, said the pilot did not appear to be making a landing at the time, as the wing flaps were in their normal cruising position when the plane hit the water.

One of the passengers had been watching the altimeter through the cockpit door and noticed it go to 20 feet, then 10 then zero, and was wondering where the pilot had miscalculated when the plane suddenly hit the water, Coy recalled.

Pilot Ted Mitchell would say only that "it was a little foggy."

A frequent passenger on the route, Coy said fog was covering most of the land around Victoria and he thought the pilot would have to take the airplane further out to sea and descend through the cloud to get underneath it before trying to land in the harbor.

At about that time there was a sudden bump and the plane landed.

"I thought at first that it was just a rougher landing than usual," Coy said. "But then the people in front of me began putting on life jackets."

Passenger Norman Sigsworth, western region manager of the transport ministry's safety branch, said he was "shaken" by the accident.

"I don't think anybody could go through that and not feel something.

"We knew a distress signal had been sent. I knew enough about search and rescue that someone would come. It was just a question of when."

Pacific Rescue Centre spokesman Lieut. Richard Pepper said the reason that no Canadian helicopters and four U.S. helicopters were involved in the rescue was the close liaison that existed between American and Canadian rescue forces.

There are no rescue helicopters stationed in Victoria, although there is a small coast guard helicopter, not nearly as large as the U.S. rescue copters. The small Canadian helicopter is used for rescue work on occasion.

The two U.S. Coast Guard helicopters first to arrive on the scene were already airborne when they received the rescue message, and located the downed aircraft within 25 minutes.

Rather than concentrate all rescue facilities at one point, Canadian forces are located further north, at Comox, and cover waters in Georgia Strait and north.

"We assist American forces further north in the same way that they assist us here.

Post office truce

OTTAWA (CP) — An uneasy peace settled over the post office Thursday when the Canadian Union of Postal Workers agreed not to strike during the Christmas mail rush.

But CUPW president Joe Davidson warned that talks on technological change had been a miserable failure, and after the Christmas rush was over, "anything could happen."

Postmaster-General Jean-Jacques Blais, however, was optimistic. He said the meetings had been "just the first step in a long process."

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Welsh, Scots to vote

LONDON (Reuter) — The British government announced Thursday it will hold referenda in Scotland and Wales on its plans for limited home rule in these two regions.

John Smith, a government minister dealing with this issue, made the announcement in Parliament on the fourth and last day of a debate on a bill setting up Scottish and Welsh assemblies with limited powers.

The government's plan is to set up elected assemblies in Edinburgh and Cardiff in 1978 to administer schools, health, social work and the environment.

Agent use curbs called weak

OTTAWA (CP) — The government tabled in the Commons Thursday guides to prohibit underhanded deals by crown corporations through their use of agents in sales overseas, but Opposition MPs immediately denounced them as weak.

Although the government authored the guides, officials of the crown corporations are left to enforce them.

And the board of directors or other governing body of a corporation can ignore the guides Treasury Board President Robert Andras told MPs.

Swine flu shots halted

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until provincial authorities received more information from Ottawa.

Those who had already taken the vaccine had little to worry about, Benson added. The temporary paralysis had affected people between the ages of 35 and 50 in the U.S.; no cases had been reported among the elderly.

Ninety-four cases of Guillain-Barre syndrome had been reported in the U.S.

Ontario Health Minister Frank Miller said about one million flu shots had been given in that province since late October and there had not been any recorded cases of paralysis.

The suspension in Ontario might be for as long as four weeks, another official said.

The U.S. centre said the paralytic illness was discovered through a system specifically established to monitor the swine flu program.

The paralytic syndrome, also known as acute idiopathic poly-neuritis, "is an infrequent and poorly studied and usually non-fatal condition characterized by symmetric weakness of the limbs, loss of sensation, diminished reflexes and sometimes more severe paralysis," the CDC said.

A spokesman said the paralysis had never been studied on a wide scale, and the swine flu monitoring program provided this opportunity.

The temporary paralysis usually begins with weakness in the legs, then in the hands and arms and spreads to the neck and face, a spokesman said.

The spokesman said the illness usually lasts for several weeks and most patients fully recover.

The Weather

DEC. 17, 1976.

Cloudy with occasional showers. Occasionally windy. Thursday's precipitation 0.3 mm; sunshine nil. Recorded high and low at Victoria 11 and 6. Today's forecast high and low 11 and 6. Today's sunrise 8:01, sunset 4:19; moonrise 3:46 a.m., moonset 1:58 p.m. Saturday outlook: Cloudy.

East coast of Vancouver Island — Cloudy with occasional showers. Windy in exposed areas. Thursday's precipitation 0.3 mm. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo 13 and 11. Forecast high and low 12 and 9. Saturday outlook: Cloudy.

West coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with periods of rain or drizzle. Windy in exposed areas. Forecast high and low at Tofino 8 and 5. Saturday outlook: Mainly cloudy.

North coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy, highs around 5.

Extended outlook, Sunday through Tuesday — Mostly mild and dry.

	Max.	Min.	Precip.
St. John's	—2	—6	—
Halifax	1	—4	—
Fredericton	—4	—9	—
Charlottetown	—2	—6	—
Montreal	—4	—8	—
Ottawa	—3	—6	—
Toronto	1	—5	—
North Bay	—2	—6	—
Thunder Bay	—4	—9	.30
Brandon	2	—6	—
Churchill	—27	—31	—
The Pas	0	—6	—
Regina	4	—7	—
Saskatoon	2	—7	—
Prince Albert	3	—12	—
N. Battleford	3	—7	—
Swift Current	6	—1	—
Medicine Hat	12	4	—
Lethbridge	15	8	—
Calgary	7	—2	—
Edmonton	2	—1	1.3
Cranbrook	10	5	—
Castlegar	6	2	—
Penticton	8	5	—
Revelstoke	7	3	1.3
Princeton	3	—1	—
Vancouver	13	10	—
Prince Rupert	3	0	6.1
Comox	13	11	.3
Prince George	1	0	25.9
MacKenzie	0	—3	6.4
Blue River	2	0	3.6
Kamloops	11	4	—
Dawson City	—13	—19	1.5
Whitehorse	—5	—12	—
Fort Nelson	—13	—18	—
Fort St. John	2	—3	.3
Yellowknife	—17	—20	1.3
Inuvik	—34	—33	.3
Seattle	7	2	—
Portland	7	1	—
San Francisco	16	3	—
Los Angeles	27	8	—
Phoenix	24	16	—
Las Vegas	19	1	—
Honolulu	28	21	—

TIDES AT VICTORIA

(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
17	05.00	7.0	10.30	9.8	18.15	2.2		
18	01.15	7.0	05.15	7.6	11.05	10.0	19.10	1.4
19	02.00	7.4	06.30	8.0	11.50	10.1	19.45	.7
20	05.30	8.4	07.10	8.2	12.40	10.1	20.40	.4
21	06.05	8.6	08.00	8.2	13.15	9.9	21.20	.3

TIDES AT SOOKE

	H.M. Time	Ft. Ht.	H.M. Time	Ft. Ht.	H.M. Time	Ft. Ht.	H.M. Time	Ft. Ht.
17	02.15	6.2	09.40	10.2	17.50	2.9		
18	00.20	7.0	03.05	6.7	10.20	10.7	18.40	2.0
19	01.20	7.4	04.05	7.1	11.05	11.0	19.25	1.4
20	02.25	7.7	05.10	7.3	11.55	11.1	20.10	1.0
21	03.05	8.0	06.45	7.5	12.30	11.0	20.45	1.0

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
17	03.05	9.0	06.20	8.4	12.15	11.5	20.00	2.1
18	04.05	10.0	07.40	9.0	12.55	11.5	20.45	1.9
19	04.45	10.8	08.45	9.3	13.45	11.4	21.25	.7
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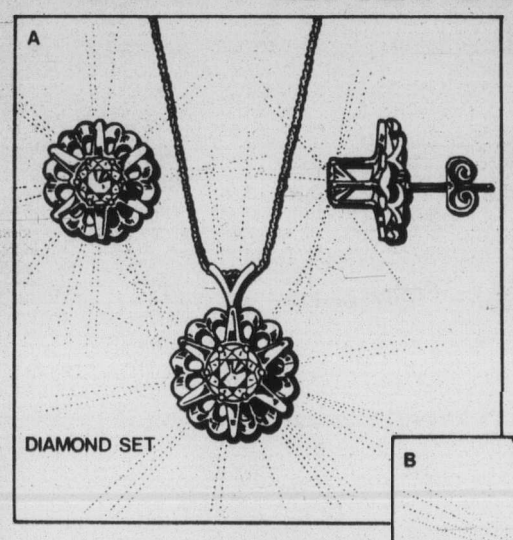

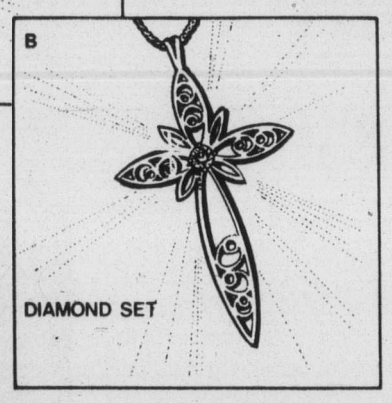

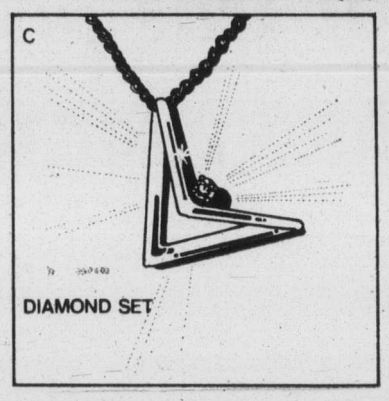

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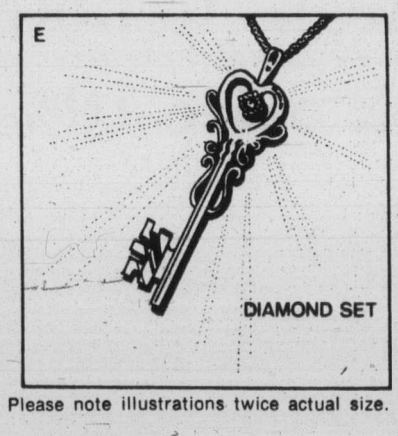

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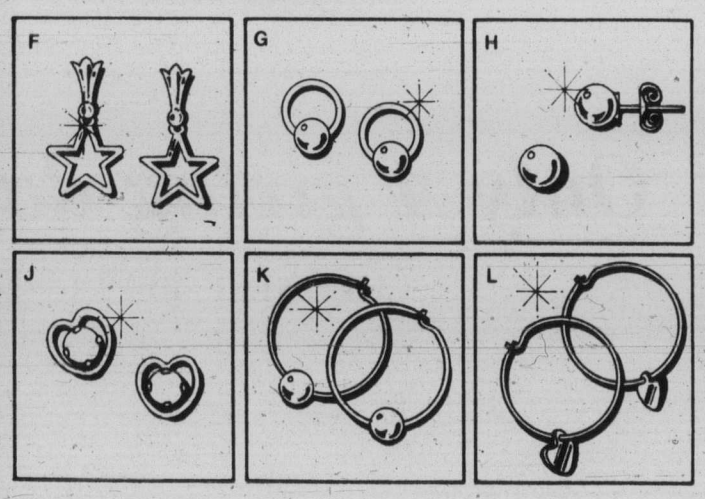

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Parksville's fledgling organizations are going all-out

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There are two fledgling organizations in the Parksville-Qualicum district which are going all out to let the public know about their activities and to increase their memberships.

District 69 Community Arts Council is one. It was registered under the Societies Act in June and aims to co-ordinate and support the activities of local artists.

The other is the district 69 Historical Society, which got its charter during the summer after two years of effort. It has only six members at present and they are collecting records for their archives. They are also getting public interest in the history of the district on a higher plane.

Tom Tryon was the guest speaker at the most recent meeting of the Community Arts Council. He said the group is trying to preserve all it can of the original history of this area. Unfortunately, the group lacks space and cannot at present accept many artifacts, the speaker pointed out.

Tryon said the society has old records and newspapers. These are being kept in a fireproof room which the society uses at the Parksville municipal office.

Mrs. Marjorie Leffler, secretary of the Historical Society, showed some of the old papers and a booklet published by the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1904. It promoted farming on Vancouver Island and encouraged people from Britain to come out and settle here, in keeping with the theme so familiar in those days: Go West young men, go West!

The society is concerned over objects of historical interest being taken out of the district. A considerable number were lost to the area when the Canadian museum in Parksville was closed a few years ago and the contents sold.

Tryon said the society is not looking for family heirlooms which are not part of local history. However, people may not realize that they have all sorts of items that are of historical interest, he pointed out.

Tryon said people are free to join the historical society and membership costs $2.50 per person or $3.50 for a family. The next meeting will be at 7:30 in the Parksville municipal office on the second Tuesday in January.

Meanwhile, the Community Arts Council can obtain federal and provincial grants. Mrs. Margaret Lundine, the president, said the council hopes to obtain the services of a leisure arts student from the Ballenas high school to list all arts resources available to residents of the district.

She believes it may be possible to arrange for travelling opera, ballet and drama groups to stage shows here.

The council is planning an arts and crafts show for the spring. The public will be able to see artists and craftsmen actually at work, which should be a big boost for the group.

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Witness saw mystery person?

NANAIMO — A defence witness at the Nanaimo County Court trial of Ronald T. Mensing has testified that she had seen Mensing with a man whose name sounded like Sanyo about the time an accident claim for a man named Seno was being processed.

Mensing, former Insurance Corp. of British Columbia manager at Port Alberni, is charged with fraud and theft in connection with a motor vehicle accident claim processed by him in early 1975.

Lorie Gauvreau, Mensing's former secretary who now lives near Ottawa, told the court she saw Mensing with a short, stocky, dark-complexioned man in late January or early February of that year. She said his name sounded like Sanyo and he spoke a foreign language.

The man was very rude and excited at the time, said Ms. Gauvreau, who was the first witness to testify that Mensing had met with a man whose name sounded like Seno's.

The questioned accident claim involved vehicles owned by Giovano Seno of Winnipeg and Harry Havard, an auto body shop owner at Port Alberni.

The crown alleges the mishap never took place and witnesses, including Havard, have said they lied to ICBC insurance investigators out of friendship for and as favor to Mensing. Havard has told the court that he and his car were in Kamloops at the time of the accident.

RCMP in both Port Alberni and Parksville, northwest of here, have no record of the accident for which $3,715.60 in cash was given to Mensing to pay Seno for the ICBC claim.

No trace of Seno has been found.

Antonio Senno, a prosecution witness, told the court Wednesday he was the only person named Senno that he knew of in the northern portion of Vancouver Island.

Ronald Mensing Jr., son of the accused and a collection officer from Cranbrook, B.C., said that at the request of his father he had spent several months searching for Giovano Seno throughout Canada but had found no trace of the man.

Bob Skelly, New Democratic Party MLA for Port Alberni, told the court he was approached by Mensing in August, 1975, and was asked to have the Seno claim investigated again. Previous ICBC investigations had resulted in Mensing being demoted to an adjuster and Mensing complained to Skelly he was being unjustly dealt with.

Skelly said he passed the request along to Robert Strachan, then minister responsible for ICBC, who subsequently had the matter investigated again.

The trial continues.

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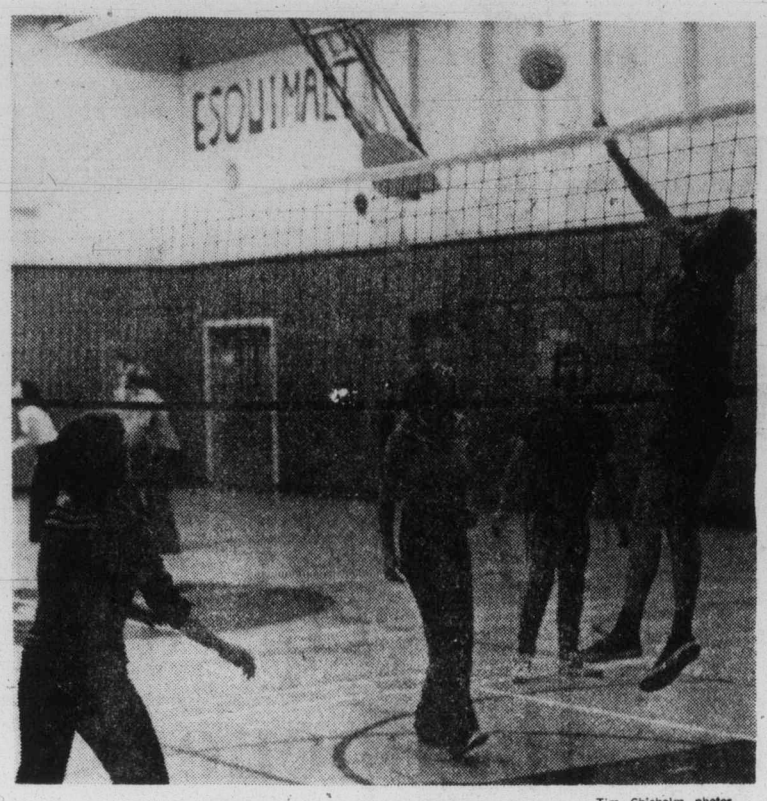
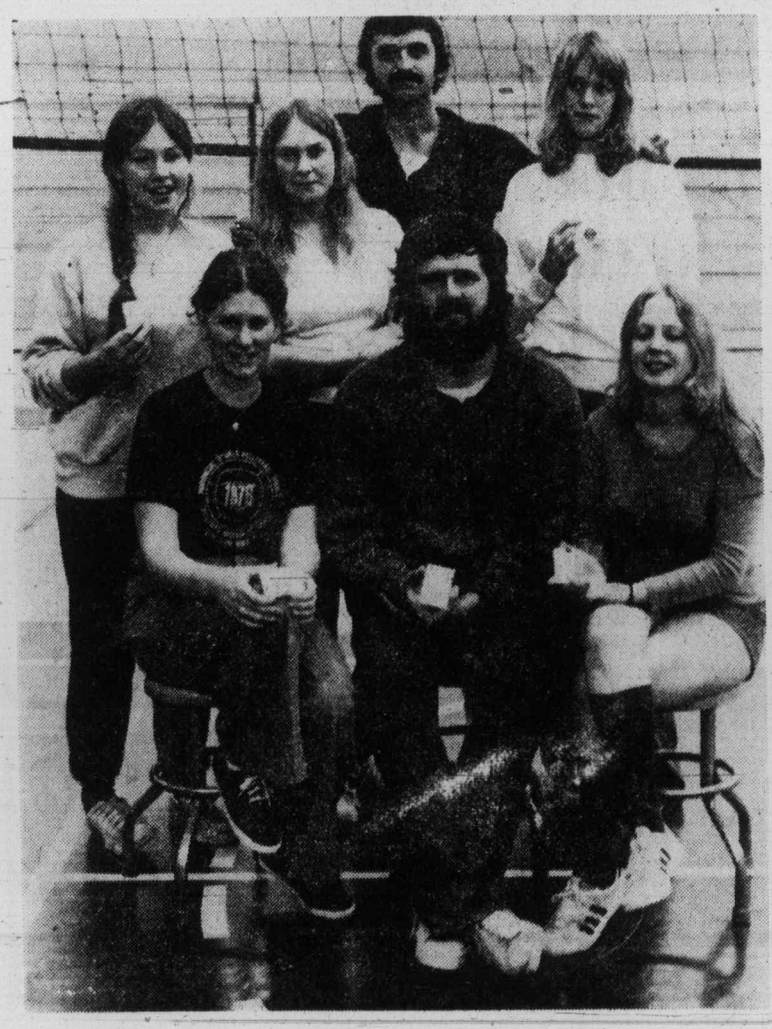


—Tim Chisholm photos

Right on the ball

Eight teams entered recent invitational volleyball tournament sponsored by continuing education arm of Malaspina College, with Nanaimo Recreators winning in competition at Nanaimo District high school. Action shot shows Recreators in final during their win over Hospital Hypos. In another photo are Recreators: Rear, from left, Carol Morgan, Linda Low, Carrol Brooks and Lynn Houekamp; front, from left, Kirk Palmer, Chris Bellwood and Bill Marriorr. Also shown are Qualicum Flukes who won the secondary competition. Rear, from left, Leslie Gaunt, Carol Lawrence, Jim Stewart, Gisela Thickett; front, from left, Tina Beard, Gary Roland and Cathy Hill.



Cowichan Bay estuary fight sees entry of legal hurdles

By CRAIG MEREDITH
Colonist Correspondent

NORTH COWICHAN — The rezoning of a controversial Cowichan Bay property in order to halt a shingle mill and log haul-out proposed there is underway, but council is awaiting advice from its solicitor to find out if the public hearing was valid.

More than 70 people attended the 2½-hour public hearing in the crowded North Cowichan municipal council chambers, where the opponents and proponents of the rezoning pleaded their cases before council decided to give first reading to the rezoning bylaw.

The North Cowichan council zoning amendment to the Cowichan estuary property, which would effectively disallow forestry-related uses, was slated for three readings this week, but one of the opponent's lawyers declared the public hearing invalid.

Legal counsel for Island Shake and Shingle Ltd. of Lake Cowichan, Ken Newcomb, challenged the validity of the hearing on two procedural grounds at the outset and asked that the hearing be halted.

He said the municipal council had neglected to inform his clients in the manner prescribed in the Municipal Act, and questioned whether Ald. Birgitte Meagher, wife of Cowichan Estuary Preservation Society president Michael Meagher, could sit as an impartial member of council on the proceedings.

After some discussion, chairman of the hearing, Mayor Gerry Smith, overruled the lawyer's objections with the unanimous support of council and applause from the audience which was weighted against any further development on the Cowichan estuary.

But council did agree to seek advice from its solicitor on the protestations and make its stand known in this regard within the next few days.

Municipal administrator John Berikoff said Thursday afternoon that he had not as yet contacted legal counsel for advice, but suggested this would be done today.

The municipality's regular legal counsel, Williams, Davie and Co., advised council earlier this week that they would be unable to act for them because the two owners of the 13 acres being rezoned were also their clients.

The Duncan law firm said it also advised its other clients, Doman Industries Ltd. and Island Shake and Shingle, that it could not act on their behalf in this matter.

Two weeks ago the municipality of North Cowichan began rezoning proceedings on the land south of and adjacent to Doman's Cowichan Bay mill.

The move came at the same time as Island Shake and Shingle made application to build a 64,500-square-foot mill on part of the land on which it holds a purchase option.

Before any submissions were made to the public hearing Wednesday, 13 letters, all but two in opposition to further estuary development, were read into the minutes.

The major proponent of the rezoning is the Cowichan Estuary Preservation Society, commending council for its initiative in moving to protect Cowichan Bay.

Society President Mike Meagher stated in his submission that the current industrial development in Cowichan Bay has been a source of annoyance to residents and sportsmen, and a source of environmental degradation in the estuary.

"We emphasize again that such detrimental effects are not limited to the Doman mill, but apply somewhat to Westcan Terminals and the log-booming activities in the Bay," he said.

Meagher added that the proposed rezoning would be maintaining the "status quo" recommendation made in the 1974 B.C. Environment and Land Use Committee task force report.

Speaking for the Cowichan Indian band council, which owns the largest adjacent piece of estuary land, W. C. Kretz of the department of Indian Affairs said the band council has approved in principle the building of a shingle mill on Indian land, if not in the municipality.

"You (North Cowichan council) are the authors of your own misfortune by already allowing development in the estuary. You must now carry some of the liabilities and responsibility for the problems," Kretz stated, adding that the mill represents employment for band members.

Environmental impact consultant for Island Shake and Shingle, Dr. T. D. Groves, who told the hearing he did a two-week biological assessment on the proposed site, said the mill and haul-out would not affect the Cowichan-Koksilah salmon resource and would cause little "if any" reduction of the present bird habitat.

"I do not contradict the statements of the general study (ELUC task force), but I do say each property in the estuary has to be considered separately as far as environmental impact, because there are differences," he emphasized.

The sampling methods employed by the Island Shake and Shingle consultant came under fire from a University of Victoria student working on his master's in biology, who suggested Groves did not employ all the tools available.

Doman Industries vice-president Joe Frumento, who spoke against the rezoning of part of their property and the water-filled channel to non-forestry-related uses, charged council with a "breach of faith."

"We have spent $13 million so far and had planned to spend another $5 million on property which was given zoning approval two years ago.

"We can't continue unless you can give us some assurance that this property will not be zoned to this proposed use," he said.

Mayor Smith told Frumento amendments were being considered on the proposed rezoning in relation to its effect on the Doman property and mill.

President of Island Shake and Shingle, Bert Rodenbush, followed the plea by Frumento by telling the hearing that council also had to consider the economic impact of its decision to rezone the property.

"We are not just talking about the 150 jobs for this community, but also the 50 positions in our Lake Cowichan operation, which are in jeopardy unless we can get some saltwater access," he explained.

Rodenbush said his company had spent seven years looking for a suitable location and spent thousands of dollars investigating the Cowichan Bay site.

One elderly Cowichan Bay resident broke in at this point and told the company president "to spend some more time looking."

After some inquiries were made by some members of the audience, who were frequently gavelled out of order for their outbursts, the hearing was closed and council voted unanimously to give the first reading.

If the validity of the hearing is not challenged, second and third readings of the bylaw and any possible amendments will be made at the first meeting of council in the New Year.

—Agnes Flett photo

Residents of Island's west coast flocked to hearing

Wildlife refuge

Big Tofino crowd gets concessions

By RAY KERR
Island Editor

TOFINO — Tofino's population is 600, but some 300 persons turned out for this week's crucial public meeting on the proposed wildlife refuge in this area.

And the tremendous response was apparently enough to convince the fish and wildlife branch of the provincial recreation ministry that another look was necessary.

Last week, the wildlife refuge plan for the Browning Passage-Tofino Harbor region was all but a foregone conclusion.

It was to encompass some 6,000 acres — which is about four times the size of Thetis Lake Park in Greater Victoria — and not much was known about it until Alberni-Clayoquot Region Board members began "raising the odd eyebrow," as one of them put it.

From then on eyebrows kept getting raised in ever-quicker succession, and the whole thing snowballed into this week's public meeting here.

Faced with so much opposition, fish and wildlife branch officials put the ball in the regional court, with a citizen advisory committee formed.

It includes representation from Tofino, Ucluelet and three Indian bands, and it'll have a busy time before the next public meeting set for February of 1977.

For one thing, the fish-wildlife branch wanted not only about 6,000 acres of land, but about 10 miles of shoreline as well.

However, indications were at the meeting this stand may be revised by the February session.

One of the reasons for this week's huge throng may have been the urgings such as the following which appeared in a local newspaper:

"If you're unhappy, don't be complacent. Go to tonight's meeting, express your views —after listening carefully to what the government fellows have to say—and if necessary, scream bloody murder against the proposal until you're absolutely sure that the gurus in Victoria have heard you."

It certainly would appear that if the provincial "gurus" haven't got the message by now, a whole batch of hearing aids will be in order.

No teacher hike

COURTENAY — Teachers in the Comox Valley will not be receiving a raise in pay in 1977, a school district spokesman said.

The teachers and school district went to binding arbitration in November with the board appointee, Ken Whitley, and the teachers' member, Ernie Hall, failing by Dec. 2 to agree upon a third member as chairman.

Either arbitrator should then have applied to the minister of labor for appointment of a chairman by Dec. 7, a school district spokesman said. Normally the application is made by the party which opens the contract, in this case the teachers.

Neither side applied in the Comox Valley case until after the deadline date. The Public Schools Act provides that where such an appointment has not been made by Dec. 7, the submission of the contract to arbitration is rescinded and the contract for the current year remains in force.

The teachers obtained a 12-per-cent salary increase for 1976 which was later rolled back to 9 per cent by the federal Anti-Inflation Board. The teachers were seeking another 12 per cent for 1977.

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High order being appealed

Colonist Correspondent

NORTH COWICHAN — A B.C. Supreme Court writ ordering this municipality to issue a building permit for a proposed 26-unit apartment in Chemainus is being appealed.

North Cowichan council decided Wednesday to contest the order by Mr. Justice Davie Fulton in the B.C. Court of Appeal after being advised of his judgment, which was handed down earlier this month.

In light of this, notice was filed in a Victoria court Thursday by the municipality's solicitor, and a municipal official said work on the proposed apartment at 3065 Pine Street will be halted until the case is heard.

In December of 1975, Gillwood Estates Ltd. of Victoria applied to the municipality to build a 26-unit attached-housing development in Chemainus.

The company was advised that municipal council had adopted a resolution imposing a moratorium on all apartment and multi-family development within the municipality until such time as a zoning bylaw could be amended.

The applicant was later advised the moratorium would soon be lifted, and submitted a further application for construction of the complex May 13, 1976.

In June of this year, the municipal council rescinded the building moratorium, but adopted a further resolution restricting subdivision in the Chemainus area to one lot from parent properties and limited construction to one and two-family dwellings, because of sewer problems.

Gillwood Estates then submitted an application for subdivision to create an additional lot of 2½ acres, and it was approved, but was advised in August no development would be approved until the sewer problem had been resolved.

On Sept. 8, the applicant, referring to the plans and materials previously submitted, applied for a building permit and paid the $5,900 in payment for a permit fee and impost charges.

At a regular meeting of council on Sept. 22, the application was considered but a resolution was adopted reaffirming the earlier policy on development in Chemainus, and the Gillwood Estates cheque was returned.

Fulton said in his judgment that it was unfortunate from the council's point of view that it did not withhold approval for the subdivision plan, as it might have under the Land Registry Act.

In lieu of the judgment order, the municipal officials have issued the building permit, but a spokesman said on Thursday that he expected it would be repossessed by the courts until such time as the appeal proceedings have been conducted and a decision arrived at.

No breaks for Canucks in nightmare season

Everything seems to go wrong for Vancouver Canucks, who Thursday night slipped quite a bit closer to a club shakeup by getting a 7-3 bouncing from Detroit Red Wings, a club with almost as many problems.

Still in playoff position only because they are fortunate enough to be included in the National Hockey League's most-inept division, the Canucks even had trouble getting out of Vancouver.

Their flight was delayed for some time, and they weren't airborne until about 1:30 Thursday morning. That's 4:30 in Toronto, and it was past breakfast time when the Canucks reached that point of their trip. There weren't too many hours left to get to Detroit Olympia, and the Canucks were a tired and touchy group when they reached the ice.

The Wings, playing their first home game in 19 days and not exactly fresh from the 7-3 beating they took in Cleveland on Wednesday night, were quick to take advantage of the edge they still had.

They scored twice in the first seven minutes and were 3-1 leaders starting the second period. Canucks gradually found their legs and were 3-3 by 13:13 of the second period.

Then it happened again. Only 13 seconds after Gerry O'Flaherty had shot the 3-3 goal, Michel Bergeron broke the tie, and Walt McKechnie made it 5-3 for the last period with a goal at 17:30.

A two-goal deficit against the Wings isn't all that discouraging, but the Canucks went the wrong way when they did something about it. A bad pass inside their zone was turned into the sixth Detroit goal, and it was less than a minute later that McKechnie scored on a clean break with defencemen Dennis Kearns and Mike Robitaille trapped.

McKechnie had two assists to go with his goals in helping the Wings to a four-point lead over the last-place Washington Capitals.

Pittsburgh closed within a point of the second-place Los Angeles Kings by edging Cleveland Barons 5-4, ending a winning streak at three games.

Jean Pronovost had two goals and two assists for the Penguins in a see-saw game which was won at 10:59 of the third period when Pierre Larouche, who had missed 11 games because of a broken thumb, snapped a 4-4 tie.

Barons tied the score four times, three times in the second period and the fourth time only nine seconds before Larouche scored. One of the Baron's three second-period goals came on a penalty shot taken by Al MacAdam, who had been held by rookie Russ Anderson.

Thursday night was also a bad one for New York Rangers, St. Louis Blues and Chicago Black Hawks.

Bidding to make a four-team race out of it in the Patrick Division, the Rangers were slaughtered by Buffalo Sabres, 7-2.

Flying since they split up their French Connection line and got Danny Gare back from the injured list, the Sabres allowed the Rangers only 14 shots on goal.

Gare, who opened the scoring, Gil Perreault and Don Luce scored in the first period to establish a 3-0 lead, then Rick Martin took over in the second period by scoring his 17th, 18th and 19th goals of the season.

Victory kept the Sabres within a point of Boston Bruins, who came out of a slump to extend the St. Louis skid with a 5-2 decision.

Terry O'Reilly, who had a personal slump of 20 games, led the Bruins with two goals and Brad Park again made his presence important with three assists. It was only the second win in nine games for the Adams Division leaders, who broke a losing streak at three games.

Flyers extended their unbeaten streak to 13 games as they made it another blank night for the Smythe Division. Good goalkeeping by Tony Esposito kept the Hawks close, at 0-1, until almost the midway point of the third period. Then Rick MacLeish, reaching the 20-goal plateau, and Gary Dornhoefer put it away with goals 86 seconds apart. The Hawks, losing for the fifth time in a row and the seventh time in a winless streak now at eight games, had only 11 shots on goal in the last two periods for a game total of 20.

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PATRICK DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
NY Islanders	30	19	7	4	110	73	42
Philadelphia	31	17	7	7	114	86	41
Atlanta	31	15	9	7	104	88	37
NY Rangers	33	13	13	7	125	117	33

SMYTHE DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
St. Louis	32	12	16	4	91	118	28
Chicago	31	10	18	3	95	116	23
Colorado	30	8	17	5	85	108	21
Minnesota	31	6	18	7	81	134	19
Vancouver	33	8	22	3	89	133	19

ADAMS DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Boston	31	20	9	2	119	95	42
Buffalo	29	18	8	3	104	70	39
Toronto	31	14	11	6	118	104	35
Cleveland	32	9	16	7	91	107	25

NORRIS DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Montreal	33	24	5	4	160	72	52
Los Angeles	33	11	12	10	108	103	32
Pittsburgh	31	13	13	5	96	104	31
Detroit	30	10	16	4	85	105	24
Washington	30	8	18	4	83	125	20

Next games: Tonight — New York Islanders at Atlanta; Toronto at Washington.

VANCOUVER 3, DETROIT 7.

First Period

1. Detroit, Maloney (12) (Hextall, Lochead) 2:35.
2. Vancouver, Oddleifson (8) (Graves) 6:31.
3. Detroit, Bloom (4) (Hamel, Bergeron) 14:31.
4. Detroit, Polonich (8) (McKechnie) 18:45.

Penalties—Polonich (D), Lever (V) 9:22.

Second Period

5. Vancouver, Lever (11) (Walton, Blight) 9:32.
6. Vancouver, O'Flaherty (4) (Sedlbauer, Kearns) 13:12.
7. Detroit, Bergeron (12) (Sheehan) 13:25.
8. Detroit, McKechnie (11) (Nahrgang) 17:30.

Penalties—Carriere (V), Polonich (D) (minors, majors) 10:33; Fortier (V) 17:25; Spruce (V) (major), Polonich (D) (minors, majors) 10:33; Fortier (V) 17:25; Spruce (V) (major), Polonich (D) (minor, major) 19:10.

Third Period

9. Detroit, Harvey (8) (McKechnie) 5:47.
10. Detroit, McKechnie (12) 6:42.

Penalties—Lochead (D) 8:14; Hamel (D) 16:45.

Shots on goal:

Vancouver	10	12	6	—28
Detroit	14	11	9	—34

Goal—Ridley. Bullock, Vancouver; Rutherford, Detroit. Attendance—8111.

CLEVELAND 4, PITTSBURGH 5

First Period

1. Pittsburgh, Pronovost (16) (Owchar) 16:26.

Penalties — Kelly (P) 9:53; Merrick (C) 11:44.

Second Period

2. Cleveland, Spring (2) (Fidler, Meeke) 0:35.
3. Pittsburgh, Pronovost (17) (Apps) 2:09.
4. Cleveland, Murdoch (11) (Maruk, Christie) 4:23.
5. Pittsburgh, Corrigan (7) (Apps, Pronovost) 8:24.
6. Cleveland, MacAdam (8) (penalty shot) 9:23.
7. Pittsburgh, Kelly (3) (Apps, Pronovost) 15:56.

Penalties — Kelly (P) 1:13; Stackhouse (P) 5:59.

Third Period

8. Cleveland, MacAdam (9) (Maruk, Christie) 10:20.
9. Pittsburgh, Larouche (8) (Stackhouse, Awrey) 10:59.

Penalty — Meeke (C) 7:29.

Shots on goal:

Cleveland	6	11	12	—29
Pittsburgh	11	17	5	—33

Goal — Meloche, Cleveland; Herron, Pittsburgh. Attendance —7127.

N.Y. RANGERS 2, BUFFALO 7

First Period

1. Buffalo, Gare (3) (Perreault, T. Martin) 4:04.
2. Buffalo, Perreault (18) (Stanfield, Robert) 9:39.
3. Buffalo, Luce (9) (Fogolin, Ramsay) 12:15.

Penalties — R. Martin (B) 6:38; Murdoch (NYR) 8:18.

Second Period

4. NY Rangers, Hickey (7) (Maloney, Fotiu) 1:32.
5. Buffalo, R. Martin (17) (Lorentz, Korab) 4:07.
6. Buffalo, R. Martin (18) (Lorentz, Savard) 9:53.
7. Buffalo, Perreault (19) (Schoenfeld, Korab) 11:11.
8. Buffalo, R. Martin (19) (Lorentz, Savard) 14:09.
9. NY Rangers, Hickey (8) (Fotiu, Farrish) 15:23.

Penalties — Greschner (NYR) 3:26; Robert (B) 6:38.

Third Period

No scoring.

Penalties — Vadnais (NYR) 2:18; Farrish (NYR) 4:19; Robert (B) 15:06, Greschner (NYR) 17:59.

Shots on goal:

NY Rangers	3	6	5	—14
Buffalo	15	13	12	—40

Goal—Gratton, Soetaert, NY Rangers; Desjardins, Buffalo. Attendance—16,433.

CHICAGO 1, PHILADELPHIA 4

First Period

1. Philadelphia, Goodenough (2) 17:06.

Penalties — Br'dgman (P) 11:23; Russell (C) 15:05; Magnuson (C), Leach (P) 16:43; Saleski (P) 17:44.

Second Period

No scoring.

Penalties — Bridgman (P) 7:01; Bordeleau (C) 10:36; Logan (C) (double minor) Leach (P) 15:48; Magnuson (C) Clarke (P) 18:42.

Third Period

2. Philadelphia, MacLeish (20) (Holmgren, Kelly) 8:48.
3. Philadelphia, Dornhoefer (14) (Bridgeman, Jim Watson) 10:13.
4. Chicago, Rota (12) 13:21.
5. Philadelphia, Clarke (12) (Leach, Barber) 15:23.

Penalties — Magnuson (C) Logan (C), Kelly (P), Holmgren (P) (majors), Kindrachuk (P) (misconduct) 1:21; Marks (C) (major, minor), Boldirev (C), MacIlhargey (P), Lonsberry (P) (majors). 5:28.

Shots on goal:

Chicago	9	7	4	— 20
Philadelphia	16	14	16	—46

Goal — Esposito, Chicago; Parent, Philadelphia. Attendance — 17,077.

ST. LOUIS 2, BOSTON 5

First Period

1. Boston, Bucyk (11) (Smith) 10:07.
2. St. Louis, Patey (10) (Gassoff, Seiling) 17:22.

Penalties — Smith (B) 4:28; Gassoff (StL), Doak (B) 10:16, Smith (B) 14:32.

Second Period

3. Boston, Sheppard (12) (Park, Cashman) 13:21.
4. Boston, O'Reilly (2) (Ratelle, Park) 15:29.
5. St. Louis, Patey (11) (Seiling) 19:58.

Penalties — Plager (StL) 1:02; Aitkeck (StL) 8:43; Lefley (StL) 11:53.

Third Period

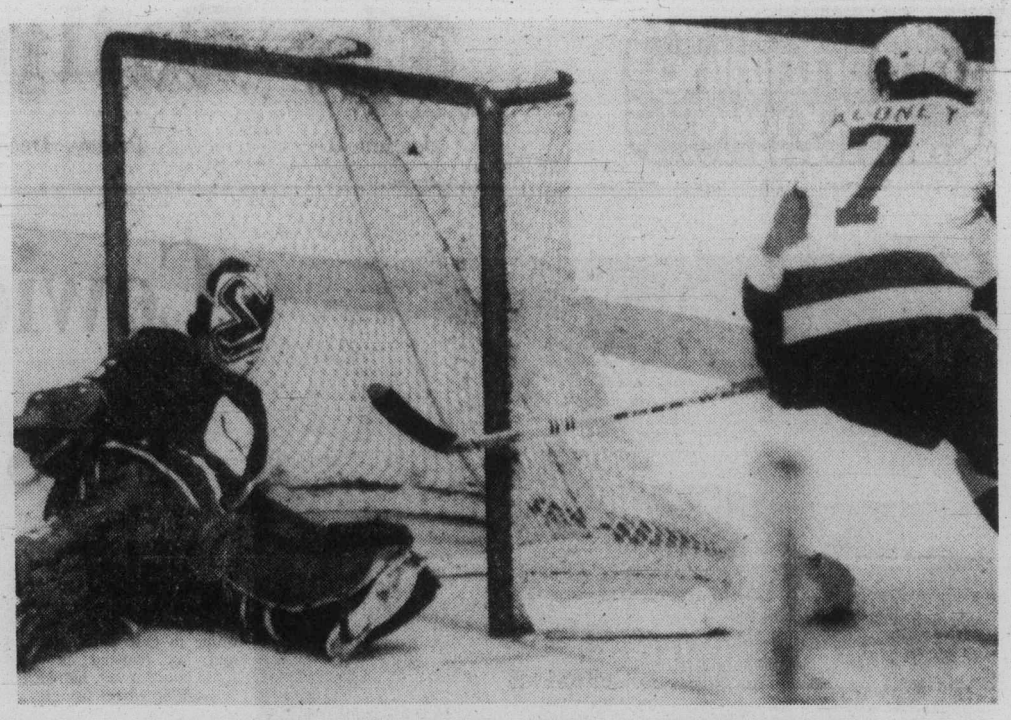
6. Boston, O'Reilly (3) (Nowak, McNab) 0:26.
7. Boston, Middleton (10) (Ratelle, Park) 10:42.

Penalties — None.

Shots on goal:

St. Louis	12	6	6	— 24
Boston	11	18	11	— 40

Goal — Johnston, St. Louis; Cheevers, Boston. Attendance — 10,088.



Dan Maloney slips puck past Curt Ridley for first Detroit goal

Russians, Czechs win in Izvestia openers

MOSCOW (CP) — The Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia took an early lead in the annual Izvestia international hockey tournament Thursday, the Soviets getting three goals from Valery Kharlamov in a 4-2 win over Sweden and the Czechs edging Winnipeg Jets 3-2.

Kharlamov, who also assisted on a second-period goal by Boris Mikhailov, is making a fast return to international hockey after suffering two broken ankles in an auto accident earlier this year.

Kharlamov, Mikhailov and their linemate, Vladimir Petrov, sat out the third period of the game.

Vladimir Veith's goal midway in the third period through a maze of players broke a 2-2 tie and saddled the World Hockey Association Jets with their loss in the opening game of the tournament.

Veith's goal, against Winnipeg goaltender Joe Daley, came only 37 seconds after defenceman Dave Dunn had climaxed a Winnipeg comeback from a 2-0 first period deficit.

Vladimir Martinec and Vincent Lukac had provided the world amateur champion Czechs with an early cushion, but the Jets responded and Anders Hedberg made it 2-1 just 23 seconds into the middle period.

The Soviets, with a number of veterans returning to the lineup after several months absence, opened up a 4-0 lead before the Mikhailov line departed.

The weakened Soviet offence in the third period allowed the less experienced Swedish club to get back into the game, Kent Nilsson and Mats Ahlberg scoring to make the outcome respectable.

Kharlamov engaged in the game's only fight, a second-period flareup with Sweden's Lindgren. The Swedes took seven of the game's 10 minors plus and misconduct penalty to Lindgren.

Monarchs extend run for winless Pats

WINNIPEG (CP) — Regina Pats showed some signs of recovering from an unprecedented winless streak Thursday night but still came away on the short end of a 6-4 decision in a Western Canada Hockey League game against Winnipeg Monarchs.

The Monarchs jumped into a 2-0 first period lead but the Pats got goals from Ron Parent and Gerald Minor in the second period to move into a brief 2-2 tie before Monarchs regained the lead.

Regina battled back to tie the score twice more in the third period but the Monarchs fired two goals in the last three minutes to earn the victory and extend a Regina winless run to 28 games.

Dave Stekler, Greg McPhee, Eugene O'Sullivan, Daryl Einarson, Tom Roulston and Dave Morrison scored the Winnipeg goals.

Other Regina goals wree scored by Hugh Ellis, on a penalty shot in the third period, and Glen Ing.

Pat Ansel was bombarded by 48 shots in the Regina goal compared with only 26 directed at Tim Steele of Winnipeg.

EASTERN DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Brandon	36	27	6	3	207	117	57
Saskatoon	32	16	14	2	151	140	34
Flin Flon	33	6	18	9	141	183	21
Regina	36	2	29	85	242		9

WESTERN DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
New West.	32	18	8	6	94	154	42
Kamloops	35	15	13	7	156	147	37
Victoria	32	16	13	3	144	120	35
Portland	30	14	15	2	150	135	30

CENTRAL DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Lethbridge	31	15	10	6	161	134	36
Med. Hat	34	15	13	6	151	148	36
Winnipeg	32	15	16	1	157	163	31
Calgary	35	12	17	6	157	181	30

Next games: Tonight — Victoria at Calgary, Lethbridge at Kamloops.

Sport today

BASKETBALL

7 and 8:30 p.m. — High school boys' exhibitions: Sandy, Ore. vs. Semiahmoo of White Rock; Oak Bay Boys vs. North Delta Huskies, Oak Bay High School.

7 and 8:30 p.m. — High school boys' exhibitions: Parkland vs. Port Moody; Salmon Arm vs. Spectrum, Spectrum Community School.

8:30 p.m. — High school boys' exhibition: Campbell River Tyees vs. Victoria High Totems, Victoria High School.

HOCKEY

8 p.m. — South Island Junior "B" League: Oak Bay Trios vs. Esquimalt Legion, Esquimalt Sports Centre; Kerry Park Islanders vs. Lake Cowichan Bairds Trucking, Lake Cowichan Arena.

Phoenix makes trade for ex-Roadrunners

Phoenix Roadrunners completed a five-player World Hockey Association trade Thursday, regaining high-scoring forwards Andre Hinse and Frank Hughes from Houston Aeros.

In exchange for the two players, the Roadrunners sent defenceman Al McLeod, right winger John Gray and minor league forward Neil Lyseng to Houston.

Hinse and Hughes, former members of the Roadrunners' Go-Go line, played with the Phoenix club when the team was part of the old Western Hockey League, jumping to Houston when that team entered the WHA.

Coach Al Rollins said the Roadrunners had been seeking more scoring punch and the addition of Hinse and Hughes will bring together two-thirds of one of the most productive lines in WHA history.

In league play Thursday, Mike Antonovich scored three goals to lead Minnesota Fighting Saints to a 5-4 win over the Racers in Indianapolis and goalkeeper Ernie Wakely made 11 stops in helping San Diego Mariners to a 3-0 win over the visiting Edmonton Oilers.

The shutout was the 14th of Wakely's WHA career, tying him for the league lead with Gerry Cheevers, now with Boston Bruins of the NHL.

MINNESOTA (5) — Mike Antonovich (19th, 20th, 21st), John McKenzie (10th), Dave Keon (13th). INDIANAPOLIS (3) — Darryl Maggs (4th), Michel Parizeau (12th), Francois Rochon (3rd). Attendance 6504.

EDMONTON (0 SAN DIEGO (3) — Joe Noris (13th and 14th), Don Burgess (6th). Attendance 6503.

EAST DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Quebec	32	19	12	1	142	117	39
Cincinnati	29	17	10	2	137	98	36
Indianapolis	30	16	12	2	100	112	34
Minnesota	31	13	14	4	96	100	30
N. England	31	12	15	4	101	111	28
Birmingham	33	9	23	1	109	135	19

WEST DIVISION

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
San Diego	33	18	13	2	111	103	38
Winnipeg	31	18	12	1	145	105	37
Houston	28	14	10	4	95	83	32
Phoenix	32	13	17	2	108	143	28
Edmonton	32	13	19	1	88	121	27
Calgary	29	11	16	2	87	91	24

Tonight's games: Edmonton at Phoenix, Indianapolis at New England, Birmingham at Houston.

Ellison lifts Flyers to win

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Saanich	22	19	3	0	217	61	38
Fuller Lake	22	16	2	4	156	63	36
Esquimalt	21	14	5	2	168	69	30
Juan de Fuca	22	11	9	2	118	99	24
Oak Bay	22	8	12	2	100	123	18
Victoria	22	6	12	4	86	132	16
Lk. Cowichan	21	3	14	4	79	177	10
Mill Bay	22	1	21	0	41	239	2

Next games: Tonight — Oak Bay at Esquimalt; Lake Cowichan at Mill Bay, 8 o'clock.

Terry Ellison scored the last two goals of the game Thursday to lead Fuller Lake Flyers to a 5-3 win over Oak Bay Trios in an action-packed South Island Junior "B" Hockey League game at Oak Bay Arena.

Flyers, who moved to within two points of front-running Saanich Braves, held period leads of 1-0 and 3-2 but the Trios managed to tie the score before Ellison took over.

The final goal was scored into an empty net with only nine seconds to play.

Ken Bell also scored twice for the Flyers and Gene Wrigglesworth added the other goal.

Dave Murrell, Mike Paget and Clay Bertoia scored for the Trios.

Ken Stanton made 29 saves for the winners, four fewer than Paul Vaeson of Oak Bay.

Grads win hoop game

Mt. Douglas Grads pulled away in the second half Thursday night at Mt. Douglas high school to defeat the current boys basketball team, 81-55.

The Grads, who got 25 points from Tom Watson, were 33-28 leaders at half-time.

Jim Dudderidge contributed 14 points for the winners and John McManaman had 12 points. Al Dudderidge topped the Rams with 23 points, and Ken Brawn was next with nine.

Finley lawyer contends Kuhn 'punished' client

CHICAGO (AP) — Charles O. Finley's $3.5 million lawsuit against baseball commissioner Bowie Kuhn opened in federal court Thursday, with Finley's lawyer charging that Kuhn took actions "to punish an old enemy."

Neil Papiano of Los Angeles, the lawyer for the Oakland A's owner, referred to Kuhn's decision to void Finley's sale June 15 of three top players to Boston Red Sox and New York Yankees for $3.5 million.

Kuhn claimed the deals were not in the best interests of baseball. Finley said he needed the money and filed the suit to get it.

Kuhn's lawyer, Peter K. Bleakley of Washington, countered in his opening statement that "the evidence in the plaintiff's own case will belie the charge" of malice on Kuhn's part.

The 58-year-old Finley watched the statements from a table where four members of his trial team sat. Kuhn was not present, but lawyers for him, both major leagues, the Yankees and the Red Sox, were.

In their opening statements, Papiano and Bleakley appeared to be basing their arguments on precedents.

Bleakley said evidence would show that Kuhn's action was just like voiding of trades by previous baseball commissioners. Bleakley said the 1930 proposed trade of Fred Bennett of the American League's St. Louis Browns team to a minor league club in Milwaukee was voided by commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis. Milwaukee challenged Landis' decision in federal court, which upheld the commissioner, said Bleakley.

Merchants hold leaders to tie

Juan de Fuca Merchants may be last in the South Island Big Six Hockey League, but they were as good as the best Thursday night at Pearkes Arena, playing to a 5-5 tie with the leading Victoria Athletics.

Athletics, who now lead Western Homes by four points, took a 4-2 lead into the last period but were caught twice. Dave McLachlan and Brian Carbery made it 4-4, and after Gord Neilson had scored for Athletics, Dan Roy completed the scoring with his pointgetting goal.

Dennis Head scored the other two goals for the Merchants, while Dale Ewasiuk (2), Mark Purdy and Ross Swanton got the other goals for the league-leaders.

Selects triumph

BRANTFORD, Ont. (CP) — Moscow Selects opened up in the second and third periods to score a 7-2 win over Brantford Alexanders of the Ontario Hockey Association Senior A League before a crowd of 3342 Thursday night.

It was the fourth win against one loss for the touring Soviet team. They have three games remaining.

Moscow's top line of Viacheslav Anisin, Yuri Lebedev and Sergei Potgortsev, which was kept on the bench in the first period, dominated the final 40 minutes. Anisin scored two goals in the second period and Lebedev one in the third.

Moscow's other goals were scored by Valeri Bragin, with two, and Vladimir Semenov and Vladimir Deviatov with one each.

Two former National Hockey League players, Jack Egers and Eddie Shack, scored for Brantford. Shack was on loan from Whitby Warriors.

NBA in turmoil despite off-court settlements

NEW YORK (AP) — This was supposed to be a year of stability for the National Basketball Association, but two months into the season things are more hectic than ever.

The stunning deal involving Bob McAdoo, the league's top scorer each of the last three seasons, is only the most recent of a series of weekly developments in a sport which was supposed to be maintaining a low profile for a while.

Last year was the big one for off-court developments. The merger was consummated, ending nine years of often-heated conflict between the NBA and the upstart American Basketball Association. What's more, a progressive, long-term agreement was reached with the players' association, erasing the prospect of lengthy litigation.

"I'm looking forward to getting out of my office and watching some basketball this winter," commissioner Larry O'Brien said before the start of the season, echoing the sentiment of fans around the league.

All was peace and harmony as the 22 NBA teams headed for their pre-season training camps in late August. It didn't last long.

A rapid-fire series of surprises has set the sport on its ear. In just two months, consider the following developments:

● Julius Erving, catalyst to the merger, heart and soul of the New York Nets franchise and perhaps the most magnetic player in the game, refused to report to the Nets in a contract dispute and was finally sold to Philadelphia '76ers for about $3 million.

Philadelphia drew record crowds wherever it went, but Nets' fans reacted angrily and now season ticketholders are being refunded a percentage of the ticket cost because of the loss of Erving. Nets coach Kevin Loughery observed that while $3 million is nice, it can't play forward.

● Moses Malone, who should be a junior in college, was traded by Portland Trailblazers to Buffalo Braves, then one week later was shuffled off to Houston Rockets — his fifth team, at the tender age of 22.

● John Havlicek, the essense of "Celtic Pride," staged a brfief pre-season holdout with Boston before signing. Paul Silas, the rugged rebounder and defensive bulwark, staged an extended holdout and was dealt to Denver.

Red Auerbach reunited UCLA stars Sidney Wicks and Curtis Rowe in Boston, purchasing Wicks from Portland and obtaining Rowe from Detroit Pistons in the three-way deal involving Silas.

● Just as things began to look up in Boston, Dave Cowens, the Celtics' fiery centre, walked into the club office one day and said his passion for the game has been sapped and requested an indefinite leave of absence. He may be back in uniform later this season, he may be back next season, he may never be back.

● Pete Maravich, the peerless Pistol of New Orleans Jazz, said Cowens did what he was thinking of doing two weeks earlier — packing it all in. Soon thereafter, however, Maravich said he was happy once again and no longer thinking about quitting.

● An NBA single-game attendance record was set Oct. 26 in New Orleans when 27,383 turned out to see Erving and the 76ers play the Jazz in the Superdome. At the other end of the spectrum, only 73 fans braved blizzard conditions to buy tickets at the gate for a game in Buffalo, which drew a total crowd of 994.

● Larry Costello, the only coach Milwaukee Bucks have ever had, was forced to resign one month into the season and was replaced by Don Nelson, whose total coaching experience consisted of 18 games as Costello's assistant. Wayne Embry also resigned but agreed to stay on until the end of the season as a lame duck general manager.

And, finally, there is McAdoo, the NBA scoring champion the last three years and the essense of the Buffalo club, who was dealt to New York Knicks for $3 million and reserve John Gianelli.

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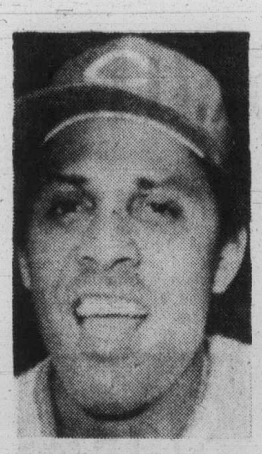
Veteran slugger key to Expo-Red deal



Perez
. . . RBI leader

CINCINNATI (AP) — Cincinnati Reds traded veteran slugger Tony Perez, their all-time runs-batted-in leader, and left-handed pitcher Will McEnaney to Montreal Expos in exchange for pitchers Woodie Fryman and Dale Murray.

Perez, 34, drove in 1115 runs during his 12 years with the Reds and is the only active player to have reached 90 or more runs batted in for the last 10 seasons.

Perez, described by New York Mets pitcher Tom Seaver as "the best mistake hitter in baseball," his .260 with 19 home runs and 91 RBI. He owns a career batting average of .283 and ranks eighth among all active players with 277 home runs.

On the trading block for some time because of his age and the emergence of young Cincinnati talent, particularly Dan Driessen, Perez approved the trade — which was necessary because he is a 10-year veteran with at least five years with his present team.

The Reds were unable to trade the popular Perez at last week's winter meetings.

The acquisition of Fryman, 36, satisfied the Reds' need for an experienced left-hander to replace Don Gullett, the free agent who signed a $2 million, six-year contract with New York Yankees.

The trade means that Montreal will have half of last season's National League all-star infield for its coming season. Dave Cash, formerly of Philadelphia, will be at second base and Perez at first base.

In announcing the deal, Fox said: "I was really enthused over the fact that he's a world champion and he's lost five pounds since the World Series ended. He's keeping himself in shape."

"We've got Tony signed to a multi-year agreement," Fox added.

"I'm happy, I feel great, I know the fans in Montreal," said the 34-year-old Perez, who spoke to Montreal reporters on a telephone hookup.

In his last nine years as a National Leaguer, Perez has averaged 104 RBI's a season. In 1976, Perez had a .260 average with 19 home runs and 91 RBI's. He has 277 career home runs, ninth best total on the list of active players.

McEnaney is another veteran with a successful record. The left-hander pitched the last innings in the final games of Cincinnati's 1975 and 1976 World Series victories.

In giving up Fryman and Murray, the Expos are losing their most successful starting and relief pitchers from last season. Fryman was a winner 13 times in 26 decisions last season, posting a 3.38 earned-run average, while Murray recorded 13 saves as he pitched in 30 of Montreal's 55 wins. He had a 4-9 with a 3.27 ERA.

Fox said: "Perez could give us the hitting power we were after when we were trying to sign Reggie Jackson."

In the recent free-agent draft and subsequent signing sweepstakes, Montreal made a strong effort to sign Jackson, who eventually signed a five-year deal with New York Yankees.

The Expos picked up former Phillies second baseman Cash in the free-agent draft. He is reported to have signed a five-year, $1-million contract.

outdoors
alec merriman

Brian Gibson, 3713 Harriet Road, caught a 24½-pound winter chinook this week to take over the lead for the first week of the Peddar Bay winter chinook salmon derby.

He was fishing off Church Island with 50 feet on a deep line and hootchie.

Brian Waddell, Pedder Bay Trailer Park, is in second place with a 19½-pounder taken on anchovie between Christopher Point and Church Island.

There are 140 anglers entered in the derby and there were 40 weigh-ins recorded the first week.

Jim Gilbert will be on hand at Pedder Bay Marina Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., to demonstrate fishing techniques.

Secretary Island to Oak Bay waters have been fairly hot for winter chinooks, but anglers have had to hit short bite periods in the mornings and afternoons. Biggest fish have been hitting on the afternoon bites which have been between 2:30 and 3 p.m.

The fish have ranged between 25 and four pounds and averaging at between eight to 12 pounds.

Constance Banks has been one of the hottest and most heavily-fished spots and most success has been on the west side of the bank, where anglers use 190 feet of line, 1½ pounds of weight and herring strip.

Garry Small has been hitting the seven-pounders between Constance Banks and Brotchie Ledge on 200 feet of line, 1½-pounds of weight. Green and white radiant Squirts and short (about 16-inch) leaders on a Hot Spot Flasher. For strip he has been using a 32-inch leader. His fish have mostly been white chinooks.

Ben Konanz caught six chinooks just off Brotchie Ledge on Wednesday.

Saanich Inlet is reporting some fairly good fishing, mostly for three to 3½-pound coho grilse that are moving into the Inlet, with some seven to 16-pound chinooks also being taken. Strip and minnow have been best lures and federal fisheries reports an average of 2.1 fish to a boat, just behind Sooke with 2.5 and Victoria waterfront with 2.3 fish to a boat.

Chinook Club will hold a Frostbite Derby in Saanich Inlet Sunday, dawn to 2 p.m.

Up-Island, the bigger eight to 13-pound chinooks have started to move into northwest Bay, along with some bigger herring. But the bite has been on again, off again.

At Campbell River the weather has been stormy, but when anglers can get out they are catching chinooks along the front, from Duncan and Menzies Bay, through the forestry area opposite Campbell River village, to Willow Point. Bucktail flies, with little weight, or Deep Six and Super Strip Teaser have been taking them.

Steelheading has started and almost any river is worth searching. The same problem exists. You must hit the right river conditions to catch the fish, usually after a spell of rainy weather, and just as the river return to fishable levels.

The Campbell has been taking a real pounding with loggers off work, and it has been giving up a few. Nimpkish and Gold have been producing, but it has been wet on the west coast and you could find them in flood. San Juan, Harris Creek, Cowichan are all worth trying.

Shawnigan, Somenos and Quamichan Lake have been good for trout.

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Fish and wildlife officials report a red-collared (65p) dusky Canada goose sighted on the Saanich Peninsula with about 70 other duskies and 20 local Canadas.

They aren't certain if it is wintering here, but it is a bird-of-the-year from Copper River Delta in Alaska. Some of these birds were spotted earlier in the season at Tofino.

Fish and Game Club's Christmas turkey shoot last weekend set a new participation record with 213 trap squads on Sunday and 156 on Saturday.

Next Fish and Game Club trap-only shoot will be on Boxing Day Sunday.

This Saturday and Sunday there will be a trap-only Turkey Shoot at South Vancouver Island Rangers' layout at Luxton, with everybody welcome.

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After waiting two years for his certificate David Hill, 1899 Hovey Road, Saanichton, has finally received his field trial championship certificate for his German shorthair Pointer Miranmar's Jill, now seven years old. She actually complete her 10 championship points in Nov. 1974 at trials in Vancouver, to place her in that rather small elite group of field trial champions from Vancouver Island.

Hill is now working with a new German shorthair, two-year-old Jauckon's Anton, although Jill is still active.

According to the Solunar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing for the next 48 hours will be as follows (Times shown are **Pacific Daylight** times):

	A.M.		P.M.
	Minor	Major	Minor	Major
TODAY				
	12:45	7:25	1:15	7:50
TOMORROW				
	1:35	8:20	2:05	8:45

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Minor periods, shorter duration, light type.

Russians set terms

Networks seek delay in Games bargaining

MOSCOW (AP) — Bidding for United States television rights to the 1980 Olympics in Moscow will start at $50 million, network sources said Thursday. However, indications in New York were that the three major networks may try to pool their resources.

Network officials from NBC, CBS and ABC were in Moscow Thursday to begin negotiations to see which one of the three networks will be beaming highlights of some 20 sports back to the U.S. They also were told that a fourth party, Satra Corp., a trading company based in New Yrok and London, would join the bidding.

Meanwhile, in a joint statement issued by NBC in New York, the networks said they would seek a delay in negotiations which were to have begun today.

"ABC, CBS and NBC are asking for a suspension of the negotiations in Moscow for the 1980 Olympic rights," the statement said. "This suspension will enable the networks to review with the Department of Justice the desirability of the networks assuming jointly the cost and risks of making available to the American public, broadcasts of the 1980 Olympic Games."

Although there is no way of knowing how much the companies will ultimately offer for the TV rights, estimates run as high as $100 million, four times as much as Montreal received last summer from ABC.

In interviews after preliminary talks with the Soviets, all three top network representatives were cautiously critical of the situation they were facing.

"Frankly, it's ridiculous," Robert T. Howard, president of the National Broadcasting Co. (NBC), said when asked to comment on the Soviet proposal. But Howard said he did not believe the $50-million "ante" — as one official called it — was unreasonable.

"It's the way they want the money," he said, declining to elaborate.

One network source said the Russians want 15 per cent on signing, 30 per cent in 1978, another 30 per cent in 1979 and the remaining 25 per cent after the Games are over.

Hayes aide to Cincinnati

CINCINNATI (CP) — Ralph Staub, chief executive officer and top aide for Woody Hayes, has resigned after seven years at Ohio State to accept a four-year contract as head football coach at the University of Cincinnati.

Staub, 48, was wooed away from the Big 10 football power five days after Tony Mason resigned at Cincinnati to become head coach at the University of Arizona.

Hagge, Morgan lead Mixed Team event

MIAMI (AP) — Marlene Hagge and Dr. Gil Morgan, working primarily off Marlene's drives, combined for a six-under-par 66 and a one-stroke lead after Thursday's first round of the $200,000 Mixed Team golf championship.

The format, combining men and women touring pros, in one event for the first time in a decade, calls for both players to drive on each hole — the men from the championship tees, the women from the ladies' tees.

The differences in the tee markers ranged up to 70 yards on the wind-swept Blue Monster course at the Doral Country Club.

The team then selects the drive it wants to play and the man and woman thereafter play alternate shots on the same ball.

"Generally, the men are much better iron players than we are," said Hagge, in her 27th year on the Ladies' PGA tour. "So the strategy was to play my drive as much as possible."

It worked to near perfection.

The Hagge-Morgan combo, playing early in the day before the gusty winds reached their peak, didn't come close to making a bogey, didn't miss a green and scored their longest birdie from only 15 feet.

One shot back at 67 were Pat Bradley and Masters champion Ray Floyd.

At 68, four under par and only two back of the leading team, were Penny Pulz and Australian David Graham, Jo Ann Washam and Chi Chi Rodriguez, Sylvia Bertolaccini of Argentina and Jim Colbert and Mary Lou Crocker and Fuzzy Zoeller.

The favored team of Judy Rankin and Ben Crenshaw were another two shots back at 70. The Palmers, Sandra and Arnold, could do no better than a 73. The Hall of Fame entry of Patty Berg and Gene Sarazen trailed the field of 46 teams at 80.

Wiggin rehired

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Kansas City Chiefs announced Thursday that head coach Paul Wiggin had been given a three-year extension on his contract. No salary figure was given.

Wiggin, 42, was hired in January, 1975, as the second head coach in the history of the Chiefs after Hank Stram was dismissed.

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Capital Region News

Muddy road to Doerksen's mobile home

A clash of wills at Amy's Retreat

By NANCY BROWN
Colonist Reporter

Elvin and Gale Doerksen, their six children, and their $32,800 mobile home face eviction at the end of December from the $95-a-month patch of mud they rent on Otter Point Road in Sooke.

In an effort to force the trailer park owners to landscape the park, which opened last summer, they stopped payment on their rent at the beginning of December, and manager Fred Stickland says the trailer will be hauled out at the end of the month.

OTHER TENANTS, who expressed similar feelings, said they were afraid to complain because there are no vacancies in other local mobile home parks.

These tenants asked that their names not be used in any stories.

They agreed with complaints of mud, and said they expected slow action by the park owners, but said they would be unable to move to other parks, because there were no vacancies.

ONE COUPLE said they had lived in other trailer parks and understood the difficulties of construction.

They felt Stickland would clear up the problem when he was able to.

The mobile home park, Amy's Retreat, which has 13 mobile homes, was opened last July.

At that time, according to regional health board officials, the proposed park met standards. Tougher standards are in the works, but a Sooke zoning bylaw and mobile home park bylaw passed by the Capital Region Board have as yet not been approved by the provincial government.

"THE OWNERS undertook before the park opened to have a professional landscaper in, and to have a park that would meet our new standards," a health board spokesman said.

Sooke regional director C. A. Perkins said the park owners had indicated the park would be a model place with excellent landscaping.

"Unfortunately there are few places for anyone to put a trailer, so mobile home owners are forced to put up with anything they can get.

"There are some good trailer parks but there are also some very poor ones," he said.

"NO ONE WOULD rent a place to us with six children, so we had to buy," said Mrs. Doerksen.

"We couldn't afford a house, so we paid $32,800 for this mobile home, and the people who sold it said they had a spot where we could put it."

The family moved in Sept. 4, and expected that roads would be finished and grass planted before the end of the month but nothing was done, Mrs. Doerkson said.

Fill has been dumped on the bulldozed field, and life for trailer park residents is a constant battle against mud, grit and water.

"THERE ARE 20 children in this park, but you won't find any of them outside. Two minutes outside and they are filthy dirty, and tracking in mud and gravel that grinds right into the carpets," Mrs. Doerkson said.

In frustration the Doerksens stopped payment on a cheque for December's rent. They were told they would be evicted for non-payment of rent.

"They have us over a barrel," Mrs. Doerksen said. "There is no place for us to put the trailer, and the owners know it. The only other answer is to go on paying $95 a month to live worse than pigs."

Park manager Fred Stickland said the only complaints had come from the Doerksens whom he dubbed "chronic complainers."

"I DIDN'T want their trailer here in the first place. I thought it was too big for the park.

"But Mr. Doerksen gave me such a sad story, and begged me to let them in, and out of the kindness of my heart I did.

"It was the sorriest thing I ever did."

Stickland said the park is still under construction, and there are another 11 trailer sites to go in before landscaping can start.

"This is the cheapest mobile home park on the lower end of the Island," he said, "and the only one that will allow children and pets."

Other trailer parks, he said, charge about $125 a month.

All other tenants, he said, were satisfied with conditions and understood his situation.

They had wanted to come in even though the park was under construction, and in return he had promised to hold rents at $95 a month for an additional year.

TENANTS, he said, were supposed to landscape their own yards while he looked after the common areas. Nothing had been done by tenants, he said.

Weather permitting, he said, he hoped the additional 11 trailer sites would be ready, serviced and landscaped by the end of March.

"At the end of the month I'll hire a rig to take the trailer out," he said of the Doerksens.

"The movers will impound the home, and seize it until moving and storage costs have been paid, and then I'll seize it until they pay what they owe me."

Stickland added: "Doerksen is making idiots out of you people and himself because I am going to take him to court if anything comes of this.

"IN THIS WORLD you have to pay your way, and he isn't paying his way," Stickland added.

"People are crying for space for trailers.

"Trailer park space right now is at a premium and I could charge $200 a month for a double wide like they have and still have tenants."

But Skip Murray said it is not correct that other tenants are happy.

"I'll back up Gale in her complaints, but I'm afraid to withhold my rent for fear of eviction, because there would be no place to go.

"As far as I know there is only one family not objecting to conditions, but the rest of the tenants are too scared to say anything."

Mrs. Murray, who moved into the park early last summer said landscaping had been promised.

"They were talking about things like shrubs from Japan, grass and rock walls," she said, "but we didn't have anything in writing, and there has been no landscaping."

She said all the tenants she had talked to have offered to do their own landscaping to get the place cleaned up.

"Mr. Stickland just said no way."

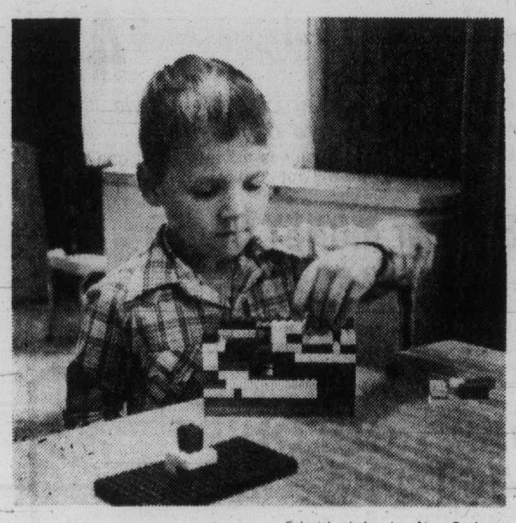
THE MURRAYS also say they are having difficulty getting their trailer levelled.

"The fill is moved by a stream that runs under the trailer," she said. "We can hear the trailer creaking and banging as it settles.

"We have humps in the floor, the walls have separated from the ceilings, the floors from the walls, and the doors won't close properly, because the trailer won't level."

Mrs. Murray said the park was "pathetic."

"I've talked to the other tenants and they are all fed up. They are just sick of all the mud and slop, and scared of the drainage ditch that runs down the side."



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Chris Doerksen, 5, stuck in house

Library-arts centre proposed for regional vote

By HUBERT BEYER
Colonist Reporter

Greater Victoria taxpayers may be asked next November to approve construction of a multi-million combined arts centre and public library.

If the plan proceeds to a referendum, voters in the four core municipalities, and possibly neighboring communities, would be asked to underwrite a cultural project that might cost more than $10 million.

The proposal, which is still tentative, is being pushed by the Greater Victoria Library Board's building committee. Several closed meetings have been held to explore the feasibility of building an arts centre that would include a concert hall and theatre as well as a new library.

At one in-camera meeting earlier this week, the library board discussed several possible sites that would be large enough to accommodate such a facility.

One site the board is looking at is "the big hole in the ground" on Blanshard between Pandora and Cormorant. Another possibility being considered by the board is the purchase of property adjacent to the existing downtown library building at Blanshard and Yates.

One of the reasons why officials are considering a combination of arts centre and library is the fact that each facility may be eligible for government grants which the other doesn't qualify for.

Library board members also fear that the public wouldn't support a new library unless it also served other cultural needs.

"Any proposal to spend several million dollars on a new library buidling alone would be tossed out on its ear," said one source.

Those supporting the plan believe the matter could be handled by the Victoria Arts Foundation, a group to be formed later this month to take over the operations of the McPherson Theatre next year.

Alan Purdy, who will be one of the members of that foundation, has attended an exploratory meeting with the library board to discuss the feasibility of building a combined arts centre and library.

Purdy said the question of feasibility wasn't an issue. Any facility that served the arts, he said, could include a library.

The only question, Purdy said, was money. A site had to be bought and a building built.

The proposal to seek voter support in a referendum in next year's municipal elections has strong backing from library officials.

However, municipal representatives on the library board are more cautious than lay members.

The library board has already gone on record in support of a new library building, but so far, that support has only been one of principle.

To launch the project, municipal councils will have to underwrite the expense, and that is only possible by getting approval from voters in a referendum.

Stores warn of TV game tube scars

By STEPHEN HUME
Colonist Reporter

At least two department stores in Victoria are warning buyers of electronic video games not to leave them switched on unattended for prolonged periods.

Spokesmen for Eaton's and Simpson-Sears, contacted by the Colonist, say there is the possibility that the game pattern will become etched on the television screen if the game overheats.

But the sales and servicing departments of both stores said Wednesday they have had no complaints about the games.

Nor have television sets been returned for repairs because of outlining or any other game-related problems, the stores said.

The federal department of consumer and corporate affairs, in a news release Wednesday, alerted Canadians to a possible problem which may develop in television sets used with electronic video games.

The department said prolonged use of the games may cause the game pattern to remain visible as a dark outline during regular TV viewing.

The department has held talks with the electronics industry to investigate the problem.

One major retailer has warned video game purchasers of a possible problem based on its own experience with demonstration TV sets used in its stores over prolonged periods.

The consumer and corporate affairs department will advise consumers of the final outcome of discussions between department officials and the Electrical and Electronic Manufacturers' Association of Canada.

Meantime, it has been suggested that video games should be turned off when not in use, and that sets should be adjusted to low brightness and contrast when they are used with the games.

Although the department wants to emphasize that the information it has is based on games used with demonstration sets over long periods, it is urging customers to take precautionary measures.

In Victoria, Eaton's and Simpson-Sears said their demonstration sets, which run eight to 12 hours a day, are in working order and have never received outlines from video game patterns.

Eaton's has sold the video games since last Christmas; Simpson-Sears received its main shpiment of games in September.

Minister sure Gilmore can prevent fire strike

Labor Minister Allan Williams appointed a mediator Wednesday, to head off a possible strike by Victoria firefighters.

Williams said after meeting with representatives of both sides he had asked Clark Gilmour to step in and head off the strike threatened for New Year's Day.

The firefighters voted 97 per cent last weekend in favor of a Jan. 1 strike if the city has not settled in full an arbitration award granting wage parity with Vancouver firemen.

Victoria Mayor Michael Young said the combined effect of the interim 2.56 per cent increase and fringe benefits already granted, plus matching the interim 7.5 per cent award in Vancouver would push the Victoria increase to nearly 11 per cent—three per cent more than the maximum allowable increase under anti-inflation guidelines.

Williams said he was confident that Gilmour, one of his senior mediators, could iron out the complicated dispute.

"I think it requires someone to go in and talk between both of the parties. There have been some difficulties over the past year and I think the assistance of Mr. Gilmour can help close that gap," Williams said.

Gilmour is scheduled to meet both sides in the dispute today and will report back to the labor minister within 10 days.

Future 'dismal' for job-hunters

Victoria's unemployment figure is nudging the nine per cent mark and Canada Manpower officials predict the area's relatively high jobless rate will not change in the foreseeable future.

There are 10,000 people on unemployment insurance claims in the Greater Victoria area, Manpower assistant regional manager Douglas Yearwood told the Colonist in an interview.

"Some of these people are pregnant or sick, but I would guess the number seeking work is about nine per cent of the work force."

Yearwood said there are fewer than 100 job openings on the Manpower vacancy list, compared to more than 200 a year ago.

Contributing to the serious unemployment picture in the city are:

- The job turnover rate is almost nil because those who have jobs are hanging on to them, rather than seeking higher paid positions.
- An increasing number of employees is working overtime, reducing the number of part-time jobs.

"Young people are among the hardest hit, about half of these unemployed people are young, with those 18 to 21 forming the largest single group," he said.

Yearwood sees no improvement in the bleak picture unless the dollar devaluation turns the forest industry around. "If that doesn't happen, then the forecast is pretty dismal."

Manpower regional manager Stan Purdy, backing up Yearwood's comments, said the attitude of many area employers is one of retrenchment and "hanging on" until spring when they hope business will improve.

"From information we have at present, we predict unemployment levels will remain high for quite a while yet, perhaps as long as 18 months," Purdy said.

Forest industry layoffs will have a spillover effect on transportation companies and machine repair shops, Purdy predicted, adding that some Victoria restaurants are in trouble because of the recession.

For hard stuff

Pubs push petition

Victoria area beer parlor patrons will be asked by the weekend to support a petition calling for the sale of liquor along with draught beer at B.C. pubs.

Frank Burger, president of the B.C. Hotels' Association which is actively campaigning for the sale of liquor in the parlors, said petitions in the Okanagan and New Westminster have been successful and should be circulating among Victoria beer parlor customers by the weekend.

The provincial government recently announced it was debating promulgation of a law permitting the sale of liquor in the parlors. Burger said the public's support was necesssary if the government was to change its policy.

Burger denied reports published Wednesday that the operators were willing to trade off nude dancers in the pubs for the right to sell hard liquor.

However, Burger said, the sale of liquor would likely move most beer parlors into a more favorable financial position that would make the dancers unnecessary to attract additional business.

He said that the sale of liquor was necessary to offset escalating costs in running beer parlors which he described as a "vulnerable" business.

Burger said his own King's Hotel parlor was adversely affected for almost four months in 1974 by a beer shortage caused by various strikes at breweries.

He doubted that the sale of liquor would increase rowdiness among patrons.

Patrick Hungenberg, head of the local chapter of the hotel association and manager of the Ingraham Hotel on Douglas, said the industry has been fighting for three years for liquor sales in pubs.

"I think it's going to come," he said. "It's just when."

"We can lose beer sales because of labor disputes but if we had liquor we could still keep our doors open and services to the customer."

Anne Turner, manager of the Colony Motor Inn which offers a male nude stripper as part of the entertainment, said "we have no reason to believe we're going to get hard liquor into our beer parlors, petition or not."

Extra postal workers face million-a-day flow

Mail continues to come in to the Victoria Post Office in ever-increasing amounts, and 350 temporary staff have been taken on to help with the load, a spokesman for the post office said Wednesday.

The 350 temporary workers will hep 600 regular post office employees deal with a mail volume five to 10 per cent higher than in 1974, said Buzz Sawyer. Mail volume in 1975 was low because of the postal strike that ended only weeks before Christmas.

At the moment, the Victoria post office is handling over one million pieces of mail every day. The daily average for the rest of the year is about 400,000.

"The volume continues to grow, and with Christmas on a Saturday, it may not peak until next week some time," Sawyer said.

The post office will have an extra mail delivery Saturday to prevent a backlog of letters and parcels from building up over the weekend, Sawyer said.

One chance that has made the Christmas rush a little less frustrating this year is a new procedure for counter service at the main post office lobby, which has cut down on waiting time in the lobby. All post office users now queue up in one line, and go from there to the first open wicket.

— Colonist photo by Ian McKain

Counter service chief Jim Robinson with incoming parcels

French royal sword stolen from Louvre

PARIS (UPI) — Three robbers climbed scaffolding left by workers and slipped through an unbarred window of the Louvre Thursday and made off with the priceless diamond-studded coronation sword of King Charles X.

Police said three armed and masked men climbed steel tube scaffolds set up by workers cleaning the walls of the museum's main courtyard, opened the full-length windows between statues of great French artists on the museum's second floor and clubbed and tied up two guards who tried to stop them.

A third guard escaped and ran to give the alarm.

The robbers sprinted to the Apollo gallery where the French crown jewels are exhibited and smashed the showcase containing the diamond-studded ceremonial sword, stirrups and saddle of King Charles X, younger brother of Louis XVI, who ruled 150 years ago.

With the alarm bells ringing, the thieves fled with only the jewelled sword.

A museum spokesman said the sword had such historical value that "one cannot set any value on it." She said the piece was so well known it could not be sold, but that the robbers could remove the diamonds and sell them individually.

The sword was made for Charles for his coronation in 1824 by French artist Frederic Bapst. The stones that adorn it are all part of the crown jewels collection begun by King Francois I.

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PROVINCIAL COURT

A man described as a "hopeless alcoholic" by Judge William Ostler was sentenced to six months in jail Thursday in Victoria Provincial Court and the judge strongly recommended his time be spent at the Alouette River unit for alcoholics on the Lower Mainland.

David Lindsay Ryan, 23, of 1265 Grant, pleaded guilty Monday to breaking and entering with intent and was remanded to Thursday for a pre-sentence report.

Ryan was charged with breaking into the supply room of the Royal Jubilee Hospital pharmacy on Dec. 11. Victoria city police, at the hospital on another matter, apprehended Ryan in the pharmacy.

"This is an extremely depressing and sad case," Ostler commented before handing out the six-month term and 18 month's probation.

Ostler noted that Ryan had a bad record with offences related to alcoholism.

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A Saanich man who wanted to lay countercharges against police was calmed down sufficiently to have charges read against him first.

Roger Lindal, 38, of 5191 Rambler, waved his arms at Ostler to show a bruise on his left wrist which he claimed was the result of handcuffing, and suggested that assault with a deadly weapon might be the appropriate charge.

However, Ostler was able to quieten Lindal enough to have charges read of causing a disturbance and assault by resisting an attempt to remove him. Lindal pleaded not guilty to both charges, which arose from a Thursday morning incident at the Royal Oak Inn.

Lindal was released on his own recognizance in the sum of $350 and remanded to Dec. 22 to fix a trial date.

During his tirade, Lindal said he was a badminton player and that the injury was luckily to his left hand, used to pick up the shuttlecock, and not his racquet hand, "or else I would be really hot."

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James Michael Pogue, 33, of 95 Wellington, was remanded until Dec. 22 for election on a Dec. 1 charge of possession of marijuana for the purpose of trafficking.

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Ostler handed out sentences totalling nine years, four months on 10 charges but because they were all concurrent, the sentence amounted to only one year.

John Petrashuik, also known as John Ptrashuyk, who formerly resided at 1135 Hilda, pleaded guilty Monday to seven charges of false pretences and one charge each of possession of a stolen motorcycle and stealing a car.

Before sentencing, Petrashuik changed his plea from not guilty to guilty on a charge of failing to appear in court.

Ostler gave the 23-year-old man one year each on all charges except the last one. He handed out a four-month term for failing to appear in court but made all sentences concurrent.

Petrashuik was facing charges in Calgary and admitted to authorities there that there were outstanding charges in Victoria and was transported back to B.C.

Crown counsel Robert Mulligan told the court the value of goods and money received on the bad cheque charges was $3,511.35 and the value of the stolen motorcycle was about $4,000.

"It's not dangerous, it's outrageous," Ostler said to an 18-year-old who pleaded guilty to dangerous driving and was fined $200.

Mulligan told the court that Saanich police began chasing Stuart Otto Hyde on Douglas Street, near the Trans-Canada Highway at 65 miles an hour. The chase reached speeds of 100 miles an hour before Hyde was stopped 3½ miles later near the Thetis Lake overpass on the Trans-Canada Highway.

Defence lawyer Robert Buffam, arguing for a conditional discharge, told Ostler Hyde had bought the car the week before and that dashboard lights were not working. Buffam said Hyde was also "egged on" by a passenger in his car.

Ostler rejected the request by saying it was neither in the public's interest nor Hyde's to grant a conditional discharge.

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Ostler agreed with Mulligan that the case of an 18-year-old Saanich youth charged with theft over $200 was an unusual one.

Keith Edward Mack, 1100 Burnside, was charged with theft of three antique chairs valued at $600 from his mother, who lodged the complaint.

Mack explained to police that he took the chairs to pay a common assault fine of $300, the assault having taken place against Mack's mother.

However, Mulligan said, Mack's mother had said that her son's behavior had been exemplary since he spent a week in jail.

Ostler remanded Mack until Jan. 6 and ordered a pre-sentence report.

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A 30-year-old man who grabbed another man by the hair and kicked him in the stomach last April was fined $75.

John Raymond Day, a seaman aboard the Canadian Coast Guard cutter Ready, was originally charged with assault causing bodily harm but a guilty plea to the lesser charge of common assault was accepted.

Court was told the incident took place outside a Sidney beer parlor.

Elderly ride free on bus next week

Municipal Affairs Minister Hugh Curtis handed a traditional Christmas Gift to elderly people in outlaying areas Thursday.

Next Tuesday and Wednesday they can ride free on Vancouver Island Transit bus lines to do their Christmas shopping.

They must present their pharmacare cards when boarding a bus.

Vancouver Island Transit serves Colwood, Langford, Metchosin, Sooke, Cordova Bay, Central Saanich, North Saanich and Sidney.

B.C. Hydro earlier announced similar free rides for the elderly on the same days.

B.C. housing grants face lengthy delay

The provincial housing ministry has hired 10 temporary clerks in an attempt to clear up a backlog of applications for home acquisition grants and second mortgages.

Housing Minister Hugh Curtis said Thursday the normal backlog is around 1,000 but as of Nov. 30 there were 7,000 applicants on the waiting list.

"Despite in the increase in staff, some applicants will still have to wait for around three months before receiving a cheque," Curtis said. Under normal circumstances it takes around six weeks to process an application.

"We are doing everything we can to speed up the processing," Curtis said. "We hope to have the backlog cleared by the end of January."

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Six killed in plunge

JAKARTA (Reuter) — Six persons died and 34 were injured when a truck carrying more than 80 passengers plunged into a river after hitting a bridge in East Java, the Jakarta daily, Kompas, reported.

Puck rowdy out for five

FREDERICTON (CP) — Greg Wright, a United States hockey player, has been barred from Canadian hockey for five years.

Wright, a member of the Concorde, N. H., Budmen was suspended Thursday by the New Brunswick Amateur Hockey Association for striking a linesman in the face in a Dec. 11 exhibition game against Fredericton Chevies of the Southeastern New Brunswick Hockey League.

Track coach resigns

TORONTO (CP) — Paul Poce, citing "uncertainty" for the future, has gone the way of Ken Twigg, Diane Clement and Johanna Kennedy and resigned as distance coach for the Canadian Track and Field Association. The resignation is effective Dec. 31, 1976.

Twigg, the CTFA's executive director, and Clement and Kennedy, president and vice-president of the association respectively, submitted their resignations at a meeting two weeks ago when branch delegates rejected a revamped track program that would have cost them additional funds.

CTFA members subsequently agreed to the new program.

Poce said Thursday he didn't feel he could do the job he was hired to do under the restrictive format imposed by the association.

Olympic staff blamed

MONTREAL (CP) — The staff of COJO, the organizing committee of the 1976 Montreal Olympic Games, will be reduced to about 40 people by the middle of April. At the height of the games, nearly 25,000 people were employed by COJO.

Roger Rousseau, commissioner-general of the Montreal Games, gave the figures Thursday during a ceremony at the Olympic House.

Rousseau said the staff will be "reduced to about 100 by the end of this month.

"We'll spend January, February and March compiling the official report on the games of the 21st Olympiad and finishing work on the official film of the games," he said. "The 40,000 people after April will take care of clerical problems."

Managerial job for Brinkman

DETROIT (AP) — Ed Brinkman, a former shortstop for Detroit Tigers, will manage the Tigers' Class AA Montgomery, Ala., farm club, the American League baseball team has announced.

Brinkman, 34, played for the Tigers from 1971 through 1974. He replaces Les Moss, who led Montgomery Rebels of the Southern League to two consecutive pennants. Moss has been named manager of Detroit's Class AAA minor league team in Evansville, Ind.

Plans may change for 1978 Games

EDMONTON (CP) — Modifications to the sports program of the 1978 Commonwealth Games will be discussed in London early next month, Geoff Dyson, sports co-ordinator for the Commonwealth Games Foundation, said Thursday.

He said he will meet with Sandy Duncan, secretary of the Commonwealth Games Federation, which has some questions about a preliminary document on the foundation's sports program.

The discussions will deal with television rights, scheduling of special events for Alberta athletes, possible acceptance of shooting marks as world records for the first time and starting times for opening ceremonies.

Dyson said the possibility of a Third World or African boycott will also be part of the talks.

He said he does not believe a boycott will occur but it may be necessary to prepare a modified sports program just in case it does.

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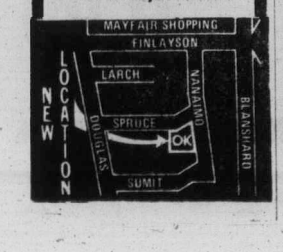

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All 16 survive AirWest strait plunge

—CTV newsfilm by Len Kowalewich

Passenger steps from doorway to join others on undamaged pontoon of listing plane

AirWest Twin Otter (See also Page 13)

Passengers awaited rescue from pontoon

Three Victoria passengers were among 16 persons who survived a frightening ordeal Thursday when an AirWest Airlines Twin Otter ditched in the freezing waters of Juan de Fuca Strait, three miles south of Macaulay Point.

If the U.S. Coast Guard hadn't arrived shortly after the crash, a Vancouver passenger said, the people aboard the plane "wouldn't be celebrating Christmas this year."

The Twin Otter, a turboprop designed to land on water, was Flight 109 from Vancouver to Victoria.

Four U.S. helicopters and five ships arrived at the scene minutes after the pilot, Ted Mitchell of Chilliwack, radioed a distress signal at 11:20 a.m. The message was picked up by a coast guard helicopter at Port Angeles, Wash.

Mitchell, who received minor head injuries, was treated at Royal Jubilee Hospital and released. The other persons aboard the plane escaped major injury in the 2½-hour ordeal.

The Victoria passengers were Gwenneth Saunders, 884 Falkland, Tirjeet Singh Johl, 3662 Dartmouth, and Dr. Peter Coy, 4532 Tiedemann.

All passengers and crew — Mitchell and co-pilot Mike Lowther of West Vancouver — were placed aboard a U.S. Coast Guard helicopter and later transferred to a Canadian Harbors Board pilot boat.

Jim McCrory, who was manning the radio at the Port Angeles coast guard station, said the U.S. helicopters had to search blindly through the fog "until they stumbled on the plane."

Two coast guard helicopters were sent out on the search, and were later joined by two U.S. Navy helicopters and two coast guard surface vessels from Port Angeles.

The first helicopter at the scene settled down in the water next to the disabled airplane, and began taking passengers aboard.

One of the copter crewmen jumped into the water to assist passengers who were swimming over from the plane's pontoon and cabin and the co-pilot helped the passengers into the helicopter.

About halfway through the rescue operation, McCrory said, the AirWest plane suddenly listed and as it did so one of its wings passed through the copter's spinning rotors.

The tips of all three rotors were knocked off, and the pilot made no attempt to lift off after taking all the passengers aboard.

The passengers were then transferred to the harbors board craft and the helicopter was towed back to Port Angeles.

The Pacific Rescue Co-ordination Centre said the 18-passenger Twin Otter tipped over and the passenger compartment was submerged after all passengers had left the plane. A tug later tied a line to the plane but the line

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'It was pretty lucky for us . . .'

Passengers who survived the crash of an AirWest Twin Otter in Juan de Fuca Strait Thursday couldn't see the ocean coming closer and closer. Fog prevented that.

The plane appeared to be in a normal cruising attitude, then it suddenly bounced against the sea.

William Ling a passenger from West Vancouver, said the plane hit the water, buckling both pontoons, and bounced along the surface for about 100 feet.

"We had a hard landing," he said, adding that all passengers were given lifejackets and no one panicked.

Everyone stood on the pontoons for about 20 or 25 minutes before a helicopter arrived, he said, and about three minutes after the arrival of the helicopter, the plane sank from sight.

Len Kowalewich, a CTV cameraman aboard the plane, estimated the plane was travelling about 110 miles an hour and the "next thing we knew, we smacked into the water.

"Near the end there we were getting worried," he said. "It was pretty lucky for us."

There were two dogs aboard, he said, and "one didn't make it."

"It was frightening. It was terribly frightening," another passenger from West Vancouver said.

After the plane hit the water, he said, water began pouring inside and the passengers managed to abandon the craft.

Dr. Peter Coy, head of the Victoria Cancer Clinic, who

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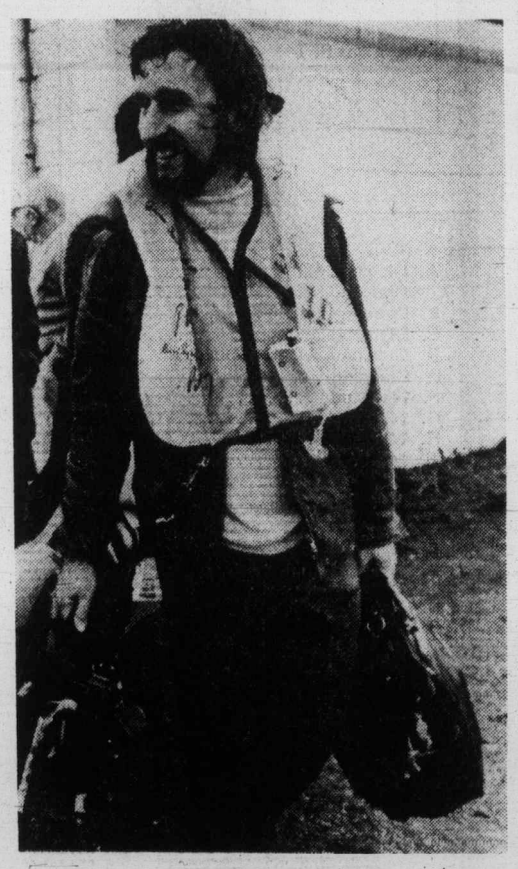

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Soaked CTV cameraman Kowalewich
. . . 'near the end, there, we were getting worried'

Arabs to hike oil price 10%

DOHA, Qatar (UPI) — Oil ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries decided Thursday to boost oil prices up to 10 per cent on Jan. 1.

The 13-member conference agreed to allow Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates to raise prices by only five per cent while the 11 other OPEC nations imposed the full 10-per-cent increase according to Venezuelan minister Valentin Hernandez Acosta.

The decision, which was forecast to mean an increase of a penny a gallon in the price of gasoline in the United States, came after the refusal of Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani, the Saudi Arabian oil minister, to join the majority and raise prices by 15 per cent.

Hernandez said the "temporary resolution" of OPEC's pricing problems would last only from Jan. 1 to June 1, and he said agreement on it was unanimous among the 13 OPEC members.

According to estimates by U.S. Commerce Secretary Elliot Richardson, the oil price increase will mean a minimum $2 billion out of the pockets of American consumers in the coming year.

Richardson told a news conference Thursday that a five-per-cent price increase would translate into a surge of $1.7 billion in U.S. dollars spent abroad in 1977 and, at the consumer level, a $2-billion boost in the cost of fuel and the energy component of other products.

Much of the consumer price boost will show up in gasoline and heating fuel — an average one cent a gallon — but not uniformly around the nation, Richardson estimated.

Vamani, one of the most powerful voices in the organization, had been holding out for a six-month oil price freeze.

Conference sources said it seemed likely that the 11 countries might try to raise their prices by another five per cent in July, after the temporary plan ends.

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And from Janet Gallant, president of Arbutus Crafts Club which donated $72.95.

"When the disabled workers of Arbutus Crafts heard about the 500 Fund they stopped and thought. They thought all about the families and the many, many children who wouldn't have much of a Christmas to remember if it wasn't for such a wonderful thing as this Fund.

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"May all the families and the many children helped through the 500 Fund have a very Merry Christmas and may God bless each and everyone who gives whatever they can."

The 500 Fund closes Monday. Donations will be accepted up until 5 p.m.

Donation dropoffs points and list of latest donations appear on Page 2.

B.C., Ontario, U.S.

'Temporary' flu-shot halt

The provincial health department Thursday ordered temporary abandonment of the swine flu vaccination program.

The action came after a U.S.-wide halt ordered because of concern over a possible connection with temporary paralysis. Ontario also temporarily suspended its swine flu inoculations.

The B.C. health ministry announcement came a few hours after issuance of a new priority list of occupations entitled to the vaccine.

In the U.S. the national Centre for Disease Control in Atlanta reported earlier that some persons vaccinated against influenza had developed a condition known as the Gullain-Barre syndrome. The announcement Tuesday said there was no connection between the ailment and the swine flu vaccination program.

The CDC said, however, it was halting the U.S.-wide program temporarily pending further study of the relationship between the condition and the vaccination program.

Before the cancellation notice in B.C. it had been announced that next in line for the vaccine were doctors and nurses, hospital workers, ambulance drivers, persons working in community care facilities, police and prison guards, firemen, B.C. Hydro employees and the B.C. Telephone staff.

Already thousands of elderly and chronically-ill persons had received the vaccine, 7,000 of them in Greater Victoria.

A clinic had been planned for today at the Cook Street offices of the Capital Region community health service, a spokesman said.

Dr. Kenneth Benson, associate deputy health minister, said suspension of the program would not affect those most likely to be hit by swine flu — those in the high-risk categories and those over 65 or chronically ill — as that part of the program had been completed.

He stressed that the cancellation was temporary and could last for at least a week

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Socreds' Caouette dies at 59

OTTAWA (CP) — Real Caouette, one of Canada's more colorful parliamentarians, and former leader of the Social Credit Party died Thursday at age 59.

A party official confirmed that the Quebec politician had died in Ottawa Civic Hospital of a heart attack.

He had been extremely weak since undergoing open heart surgery two weeks ago.

Funeral services will be held at Rouyn, Que., where Caouette operated a car dealership. The exact time and date were not immediately known.

Caouette first sat in the House of Commons after being elected to represent the northwestern Quebec riding of Témiscamingue in 1946.

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Pilot Mitchell

—AP

Aerial photo shows Twin Otter upside-down in strait as rescue vessel stands by

—Colonist photos by Ian McKain

AirWest passengers walk to safety at Ogden Point Thursday, among them Gwenneth Saunders who gets help from son Christopher

Servants reach pay deal

The long struggle for a new wage contract has ended in tentative agreement between negotiators for the province and the B.C. Government Employees' Union.

While leaders of the 35,000-member union say the proposed settlement falls short of what they wanted, they will recommend acceptance by members of the 13 components.

General secretary John Fryer said the original goal might have been achieved through strike action, but the negotiating committee had wanted to avoid such a step.

Terms of the proposal are not being released until they have been made known to the membership. A vote is expected to be completed by late January.

When talks broke off last summer the union had rejected a $45-a-month wage increase, holding to its demand for $65.

In recent meetings with mediator Clark Gilmour, the union was known to be interested in the matter of retroactive pay. Whether that has been achieved isn't known, although the proposed agreement dates back to October, 1975, and terminates next July 31.

Trustees go private, get public praise

The headmaster of the private school to which two public school trustees send their children said the trustees' concern about the public school system should be considered a point in their favor.

Hamish Simpson, headmaster of Glenlyon School for Boys in Oak Bay, said in an interview that "a considerable number of school trustees in the Greater Victoria school district have been involved with independent schools over the years."

"It is significant that they show a wider interest in education and schools, than simply the schools which their own children attend," Simpson said.

He pointed out that Greater Victoria school board chairman William Ross has had a well-known affiliation with a private school, as headmaster of Brentwood College, but this had not stopped Ross from taking an interest in the operation of the public school system.

"Many of our parents have put a lot of time, effort and interest into improving public education."

At the moment, school trustee Janet Baird has one child enrolled in Glenlyon, and incoming trustee Bud Smith has two children attending classes there.

Referring to a Victoria Chamber of Commerce committee which has been set up to investigate how common it is for public school teachers to send their children to private schools and to see if the qualities of private schools could be put into public education, Simpson said "the chamber will find it difficult to translate the independent school atmosphere into the public schools."

Most independent schools are much smaller than public schools (Glenlyon enrols 206 students in Grades 1-10), and their relationship with teachers is quite different.

"Our teachers have better control of discipline, and a freer hand in how they teach, but they are also all on one-year contracts. I don't know if that would work in the public school system."

The independent schools are academically oriented, and geared to university entrance, which would not be good for all students, Simpson added. "A student who wants a vocational program would not find it offered in the independent schools."

He agreed with Greater Victoria Teachers' Association president Walter Kitley that teachers should have the same right as others to educate their children where they wished, and that the only cause for concern would be if teachers' children were represented in larger than normal numbers in the independent schools.

"We have some teachers' children here, but also children from many other backgrounds. They are not a greater part of our enrolment than normal."

Housing plan runs into minefield

Roy Road project future cloudy

By BILL SMITH
Colonist Reporter

A provincial government proposal for housing at Panama Flats in Saanich appeared headed for the rocks after a barrage of vehement opposition from residents at a public hearing Thursday.

The proposal to construct 334 units on 75.8 acres bounded by Wilkinson, Roy, Carey and Interuban was attacked incessantly during the lengthy meeting which attracted more than 250 people to Saanich council chambers.

Housing Corporation of B.C. officials bore the brunt but aldermen also were criticized.

Victoria MLA Charles Barber questioned whether the housing could be considered affordable when lots would be selling for between $25,000 and $28,000.

"Is it not reasonable to ask if the proposed project was not a big mistake right from the beginning?" he asked of council. "Cut your losses and admit your mistake."

He said council had the power to benefit future generations by "turning the whole foolish proposal down."

After being assured by housing corporation officials that "no one is going to build any homes on the flats," Barber wanted to know, if such were the case, why studies to reshape Colquitz Creek were undertaken.

He also asked how it was possible to make an intelligent evaluation of such a major project "when all the information is not yet in."

Barber said "too much contradictory information exists about the proposal."

The MLA said a consulting engineer's estimates of $105,000 for reshaping the creek was "ridiculously low."

Municipal services provided by the development would include improvements to Carey and Interurban Roads and construction of a trunk sewer through the development designed to provide services to adjacent areas.

Reshaping of the creek was opposed by Dr. Robert Langford on the grounds that wildlife habitat would disappear from the flats.

He recommended there be no alteration in the channel below Interurban to the Trans-Canada Highway and that ponding be continued in Colquitz Creek between Hyacinth and Roy Roads.

Flooding was essential each winter to preserve the area for waterfowl, he said.

School board officials said they approved of the proposal, as did former alderman Leslie Passmore.

He said such housing was desperately needed in Saanich because "many people are living in hotels and in illegal suites because they can't find a reasonably-priced home."

Richard Burton, 4155 Wilkinson, said "Our studies indicate about 60 per cent of the units will be built on the 200-year flood plain."

Flooding in winter was already a problem for houses nearby "and to make the land suitable for housing will require extensive fill and straightening and widening of the Colquitz Creek."

Burton said widening the creek by eight to 10 feet for 3.3 miles (nearly half its total length) would have a tremendous environmental impact.

"If Colquitz Creek is tampered with in the fashion suggested, the fisheries enhancement program planned for this section of the creek would be virtually impossible.

"Eight years of work, planning and physical effort already invested in the creek by former Saanich mayor Hugh Curtis, Saanich municipal staff, federal and provincial fisheries and many dedicated volunteers would be wasted," Burton said.

The amount invested so far in rehabilitating the creek was close to $250,000, he said. "If recommendations in the Ker Priestman report are acted upon, this money will have been wasted."

He described as ludicrous an offer by the developer to donate 40 acres of the site as parkland, adding: "The land in question is within the flood plain and maintains the consistency of a wet sponge much of the year."

Burton said if the land was drained and declared suitable for housing, numerous problems could arise, including uneven settling as the spongy ground dried out.

If the area was mainly peat, as swampy regions tended to be, Burton predicted that even after it was completely dried it would be very crumbly.

He predicted that even after the ground settled, any buildings built on the low-lying or filled areas would be subject to continuous foundation, plaster and stucco cracking.

Burton said the ancilliary costs involved in the development were of grave concern to his group. "Are these costs to be added to lot prices or are Saanich taxpayers once again going to be asked to bear this weighty financial burden?" he asked.

Rent limit stays put — premier

Landlords will have to hold their rent increases to the established annual 10.6 per cent throughout 1977, Premier Bennett indicated Thursday.

Legislation is no longer required to approve rent hike ceilings each year.

Present limits were set for 1975-76 at 10.6 per cent, a figure tenants claim is too high and landlords too low. The premier said there were no immediate plans for the cabinet to discuss future increases in the rent ceiling.

Amendments to the Landlord and Tenant Act, passed in the 1974 fall session of the Legislature, incorporated the 10.6 into permanent legislation unless the act is again amended.

Oak Bay delays pumping station ruling for study

Oak Bay council didn't appear eager Thursday to set a definite date for its decision on the controversial Shoal Bay pumping station.

Council had been asked in a Dec. 8 motion by the Capital Region Board to let it know when a decision was anticipated "with respect to the Shoal Bay pumping station" which is essential to the region's Clover Point outfall extension now in first stages of construction.

Council backed down earlier this year on the Shoal Bay pumping station after protests on that site from residents in the area. A committee was subsequently struck by Mayor Brian Smith to investigate the feasibility of a pumping station or an alternative and the best location for whatever choice.

Ald. John Goult told council Thursday the special committee, consisting of both aldermen and ratepayers, would likely file its report near the end of January.

Goult predicted that council wouldn't rule on the report until mid-February.

Council then agreed to inform the regional board of this situation.

In other business, council received and filed a letter opposing amalgamation of the core municipalities from William Stavdal, of 2106 Marine, but not before commenting on its contents.

In his letter, Stavdal argued that local governments maintain a sense of community through accessibility.

Goult said the letter "expresses the views of this council."

A Victoria alderman and Oak Bay resident, Ron McKenzie, has been speaking out lately on the advantages — mainly economic — of amalgamation.

Pay up or get out, academy told

Riding academy's Donald and Aileen Carley

The Victoria Riding Academy was dealt another blow by Oak Bay council Thursday — eviction from its Cedar Hill Crossroads location if taxes are not paid in full by the end of the month.

Aileen Carley who with her husband Donald has operated the academy at its present location for more than 20 years, said in a phone interview later that the $8,800 owing the municipality for 1976 would be paid.

She said the academy had a special bank account for this purpose.

Although council's motion is the first notice of eviction served on the academy, which rents its premises from the municipality, council has threatened similar action in the past to collect taxes in arrears on the 9.6-acre site.

Earlier this month council rejected an appeal for tax exemption for the academy during 1977.

The motion Thursday was introduced after council acknowledged receipt of a letter from Elsie Spratt, one of several other persons who have been trying to extend the academy's life.

No mention was made during the council meeting of the letter's contents which noted the existence of a riding establishment in Ottawa's green belt which pays only a business tax. Mrs. Spratt was not available later for comment on council's motion.

Mayor Brian Smith said after the meeting his municipality had dealt patiently and sympathetically with both the academy and the Carleys.

Smith said senior governments required that taxes be paid, and he rejected the idea that council could make a grant in lieu of taxes.

"If we give a grant to one, then we have to give a grant to the others (private recreational operations)," he said.

As for the Ottawa riding establishment mentioned in Mrs. Spratt's letter, Smith said: "I'd like to live in a community where the federal taxpayers pay for the leisure facilities."

Smith said council had no proposals for the use of the property, whose worth he estimated at $1.3 million, in the event of default.